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Reagan's plan not a condition for talks

By ASHER WALLFISH
Post Diplomatic Correspondent

U.S. President Ronald Reagan's ideas on the future course of the autonomy negotiations were not presented as pre-conditions for the resumption of those negotiations, American sources told *The Jerusalem Post* yesterday.

Reagan was merely presenting a careful definition of the way which the U.S. hopes the autonomy talks would develop, the sources said, and he has no intention of negotiating over his ideas with any party. He expects his ideas to be aired at the autonomy talks.

In the past, the American sources said, Israeli and Egyptian leaders alike have made their positions very clear, in public, about the nature of the autonomy arrangements. While the U.S. administration should perhaps have made its own positions clear in public much earlier, the sources suggested, it made them clear in private conversations with Israeli and Egyptian leaders from the outset, and at the highest possible level.

It would be a mistake, the American sources said, to describe Reagan's ideas as a "take it or leave it" proposal, especially since they were motivated by the desire to obtain wider participation in the autonomy talks. Washington realizes, at the same time, that Jordan's decision to take part, would be dependent on the outcome of the Arab summit at Fez or at least on the views of certain Arab states.

Even if the Reagan proposals did not elicit a favourable reaction from the Israelis, the Arabs or both, the U.S. administration wanted to make clear which positions it would support in the autonomy talks.

The American sources emphasized that the Reagan proposals were not only practical and fair to the Israelis and Palestinians, but also carefully designed to ensure Israel's security. "The administration will stick with them," *The Post* was told.

The sources recalled the section of Reagan's policy speech last Wednesday which noted that the U.S. thus far has avoided public comment on the key issues and that only the voluntary agreement of the parties involved could provide an enduring solution. Reagan went on: "But it has become evident to me that some clearer sense of America's position on the key issues is necessary to encourage wider support for the peace process."

The American sources said that nearly four years spent assiduously refraining from putting the American viewpoint on record and supplying nothing more than the bridging language of mediation, has produced only one result: "a flop."

During that very long period, the

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Defence Minister Ariel Sharon and Lebanese Christian militia leader Sa'ad Haddad shake hands after their meeting in Sidon on Monday (Defence Ministry)

Peace not condition for IDF pullout, but Haddad should stay

Only Maj. Haddad can hold security zone, his men say

By MENAHEM HOROWITZ
Jerusalem Post Reporter

METULLA. — Sources in Southern Lebanon said yesterday that only militia commander Maj. Sa'ad Haddad can control the 40-kilometre security zone, beyond Israel's northern border, which Defence Minister Ariel Sharon has said will have a "special status" should Lebanon refuse to sign a peace treaty with Israel.

The sources said that Haddad's officers were quite pleased with Sharon's tough stance and are confident this means that Haddad's position will remain strong. The officers' confidence also follows a meeting on Monday between Sharon and Haddad in Haddad's Sidon headquarters.

The election of President-elect Bashir Jemayel has aroused considerable uncertainty among Haddad's staff, some of whom suspect Israel might abandon the major for the sake of good relations with the new Lebanese government.

Haddad, who organized a military force to defend the 100,000 residents of Southern Lebanon from the PLO, is likely to be prosecuted by the Lebanese authorities for his "insubordination," Beirut Radio reported yesterday. Haddad's officers scoffed at the report.

The South Lebanese are still waiting for Jemayel to offer Haddad some suitable position in his new administration. "Such a step could only speed up and help any reconciliation between Israel and the new president," one of Haddad's officers said.

On Monday night Sharon referred to Haddad in a speech in Kiryat Shmona as "both an acquaintance and a friend, but primarily a courageous fighter whose friendship for Israel has stood up over the years."

Sharon was speaking at a ceremony when he received honorary citizenship of the town and Haddad was in the audience.

By ASHER WALLFISH
Post Diplomatic Correspondent

An Israel-Lebanon peace agreement is not a pre-condition for the withdrawal of the Israel Defence Forces from Lebanon, government sources said yesterday. The only preconditions are the withdrawal of the Syrians and the PLO and the provision of security arrangements to protect Israel's northern border.

In the absence of a peace treaty, Israel considers the most satisfactory security arrangement along the border to be one controlled by Major Sa'ad Haddad, upon whom Israel knows it can rely, *The Jerusalem Post* was told.

Israel does not favour having its border security provided by foreign forces and it does not want to leave the IDF in Southern Lebanon — both of which would impinge on Lebanese sovereignty. It believes that president-elect Bashir Jemayel can be persuaded to give Haddad the key role of policing the border area, in line with procedures which can be worked out later.

Jerusalem notes that the U.S. has expressed its support for the two Israeli preconditions: the exit of Syrian and PLO forces and the security arrangements along the border. At one time, the U.S. was understood to prefer the permanent stationing of a multi-national force in Southern Lebanon, but has apparently not returned to this idea lately.

The government is not only interested in getting a peace treaty with Lebanon for its formal value. As one official put it last night, the Arab world's diplomatic boycott of Israel has to be eroded in order to obtain legitimacy in the region.

The official said: "The Arab world treats Israel as leprous Zionists, to be cast out from human society. Egypt was the first Arab state to break the diplomatic boycott and the Arab world merely added Egypt to the boycott list. If Lebanon follows Egypt by making peace with us, at least we have opened a second crack in the Arab front of hostility."

There are two schools of thought within the political leadership in Jerusalem and its groups of advisers and senior officials. One school hold that Jemayel's readiness to sign a peace treaty can only develop gradually, after he forms a strong government, creates national unity

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U.S. Jewish leaders question Reagan plan

By WOLF BLITZER
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — The Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations last night said that President Ronald Reagan's Middle East proposal "does violence to the spirit of Camp David in that it substitutes a specific American plan for the free give-and-take essential if the parties to the dispute are to solve their differences."

The statement by Julius Berman, chairman of the umbrella Jewish organization, was contained in a letter to Reagan and released last night. It follows publication in *The New York Times* of an interview with AIPAC Director Tom Dine, in which he praised aspects of the Reagan plan.

Dine, the top professional staffer on the American Israel Public Affairs Committee (AIPAC), said "there were many constructive points" in the proposals, adding that "it has been very well received by the American population . . . I can assume that members of Congress, who will be returning to Washington this week, will also receive it in the same way."

Dine's interview in *The Times* — as well as AIPAC's earlier statement released last Thursday shortly after Reagan's televised address — differed significantly in substance and tone from the official reaction of the Israeli government.

Although AIPAC is an American organization and not a foreign agent of the government of Israel, it rarely takes positions that differ from Israel's.

Dine said he was not concerned about not sharing Prime Minister Menachem Begin's views on the Reagan plan.

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IDF clears the path as Lebanon army moves in

By DAVID FRANK
Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEIRUT. — The Lebanese Army yesterday moved into the southern suburbs of West Beirut in force, establishing a substantial presence across the erstwhile "Green Line" for the first time since the PLO quit the city.

According to reports in the Lebanese media, this major infusion of several thousand soldiers followed talks that took place on Monday night between IDF officers and representatives of the leftist militias still active in West Beirut, as well as a representative of the PLO, named by the Phalangist Voice Of Lebanon Radio as Abdullah Zubeiri.

The radio station claimed that this was the first time Israeli officials had sat down with representatives of Amal, the Mourabitoun and Communist militias, which were the PLO's allies prior to the latter's departure from Beirut.

Until yesterday, the Lebanese Army had maintained only a limited presence in the western part of the city, guarding key installations such as the prime minister's office, the Bank of Lebanon, the Ministry of Information and the major intersections.

Yesterday's move brought the number of soldiers in this part of Beirut to over 4,000, the

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Steps taken for return of 8 IDF

Bazookas in Bekaa

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT
Post Defence Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Several bazooka shells were fired yesterday at an IDF position in the Bekaa as Lebanese sources reported increased tension between Israeli and Syrian troops there. But OC Northern Command Aluf Amrir Drori, speaking here to military correspondents, said he was not aware of "any special tension" in the last few days.

According to an IDF spokesman's report, the bazookas were fired close to 7 p.m. at a position in the Mansoura area northeast of Lake Karoun. The Mansoura and nearby Amik areas are frequently attacked from positions in Syrian-held territory. There were no casualties and fire was returned, the IDF reported.

Earlier, Lebanese sources had reported increased tension in the Bekaa as Israeli reconnaissance planes flew overhead. According to Radio Monte Carlo, both sides have been concentrating troops in the area. The Lebanese state radio reported that there was fear of renewed hostilities.

According to IDF estimates, the Syrians have three divisions in Lebanon and a fourth just across the border. These include 1,200 tanks in Lebanon and 300 more in Syria. Of the 500 cannons in the area, 450 are in Lebanon.

In his press conference, Aluf Drori said the Syrian troops were pulled out of the Golan front and other areas in Syria and were

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Shamir: U.S. favours Arabs, is no longer honest broker

By SARAH HONIG
Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir stated yesterday that the U.S. is "no longer an honest broker between Israel and the Arab states. It has now clearly taken sides, and its position now obviously favours the Arab stand."

He said that Israel would never have consented to sign the Camp David accords in 1978 if the U.S. attitude at the time had been similar.

Shamir was speaking to the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee, where he reviewed recent contacts with U.S. Secretary of Defence Caspar Weinberger and envoy Moris Draper, the virtual suspension of normalization by Egypt, and the Egyptian media's fierce attacks on Israel.

Shamir noted that the U.S. has "markedly deviated from the Camp David agreements in almost each and every clause of its new plan as enunciated by President Ronald Reagan. At Camp David there were heated debates on every single detail, and nearly every word resulted from compromise. Any deviation damages the whole delicate balance of the entire agreement."

According to Shamir, the new American plan "expresses unequivocal opposition to Israeli sovereignty in Judea, Samaria and Gaza, which means shutting off options left open at Camp David. In contrast, the new plan leaves open the option of a Palestinian state, and leaves the war against terrorism in

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'Israeli spy' in Beirut comes in from the cold

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEIRUT. — According to the Phalangist Voice of Lebanon radio station, Captain Abu Yussef of the PLO came from Jnah to the IDF-AMAL meeting place, saluted the IDF officers and handed himself over to them. The radio alleges Yussef was an Israeli agent returning to his own lines.

Knesset meets today for final report on war

Post Knesset Reporter

The government will present a definitive statement summing up Operation Peace for Galilee in the Knesset today in a special parliamentary session called during the summer recess.

After a break, the Knesset will hold a second session on the autonomy proposals announced last week by U.S. President Ronald Reagan.

'Israel banned rally by Jemayel followers'

TEL AVIV. — Israeli authorities banned a rally by followers of Lebanese President-elect Bashir Jamayel in Sidon yesterday after Jemayel supporters refused to come out publicly in favour of a peace treaty with Israel, Israel Television, reported last night.

The incident followed a confrontation between Jemayel's Phalangists and the Christian forces of Major Sa'ad Haddad.

A Phalange official interviewed in Sidon by Israel TV said the Christians had been pressured to include words of thanks to the Israeli army in their speeches for driving the PLO out of the city, and to call for a peace treaty with Israel.

"Peace is not something that can be forced on the Lebanese people," the official said.

Iraq claims jets blast Iran oil depot

NICOSIA (AP). — Formations of Iraq planes bombed the Iranian oil shipping island of Kharg yesterday, "scoring direct and effective hits" on oil installations, the official Iraqi news agency reported.

It quoted an Iraqi military spokesman as insisting that the Iraqi air force will "continue in this powerful and just course until Iran renounces its aggression and hatred and respects the sovereignty and inviolability of Iraq's territory."

He said that all Iraqi planes returned safely to base, underscoring previous warnings that Iraq will "undertake strong reprisals against the continuation of the Iranian regime in its blatant aggression against Iraq and the bombing of Iraqi cities."

It was the fourth Iraqi air attack on Kharg in less than three weeks.

No details were immediately available about the extent of damage on the island. But oil analysts here said that previous air attacks by the Iraqis have caused a sharp drop in Kharg's oil shipping capacity

Formula acceptable to Syria is sought at Fez summit

Post Mideast Affairs Reporter and Agencies

Arab leaders meeting in Fez yesterday were reported to be working on a new Arab initiative that would win consensus approval and at the same time avoid taking a definite stand on U.S. President Ronald Reagan's latest Middle East peace proposals.

Although most of the leaders attending the summit are reported to be in favour of the U.S.plan, it has not won the crucial approval of Syria's President Hafez Assad.

Anxious to avoid a repeat of last November, when the Fez summit had to be adjourned following the Syrian-led rejection of Saudi Arabia's eight-point Fahd plan, the summit is now apparently working on an alternative Arab plan that might be acceptable to Syria and its radical allies.

According to leaks from the closely guarded deliberations yesterday, the new plan appears to contain elements of the Fahd plan as well as elements of a Tunisian blueprint calling for Arab acceptance of the UN's 1947 Palestine partition plan.

It is apparently hoped that the 1947 plan, which would reduce Israel to three barely connected enclaves, will prove acceptable to the radicals yet at the same time meet Washington's basic requirement of Arab recognition of Israel.

As for the Reagan plan, this has clearly made a deep impact on the summit and, according to conference sources, was the subject of a five-hour debate following the official opening of the summit on Monday night — a debate which continued into the early hours of yesterday morning.

Details of that debate have not been divulged.

UK, France push to boost fiscal aid to Third World

TORONTO (Reuter). — Britain and France yesterday called for a substantial increase in financial resources that could be made available to the Third World, placing themselves at odds with the U.S.

At the annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Bank, French Finance Minister Jacques Delors and British Chancellor of the Exchequer Sir Geoffrey Howe said that the two global lending agencies need to be strengthened to cope with the world's growing economic and financial problems.

Delors said that developing countries are barely receiving enough aid to pay back the interest, much less the principal, they owe on debts to the West.

In a strongly worded address, the French minister advocated a doubling of IMF quotas, the amounts member countries are required to contribute to the agency.

Sir Geoffrey said he felt that a 100 per cent increase was too much, but that a 50 per cent quota rise was the absolute minimum that would be acceptable.

Although it has not officially stated its position, the U.S. has made clear that it does not want a major rise in country contributions.

Since IMF contributions are based on a country's economic might, the U.S. would be expected to bear the brunt of a substantial increase in quotas.

The deteriorating debt position of the world's poorer nations, highlighted in recent months by financial crises in Poland and Mexico, has cast a shadow over the gathering here of economic leaders from more than 140 countries.

Central and private bankers have worked behind the scenes in Toronto to map strategies for tackling fresh financial difficulties that are surfacing almost daily in Latin America, Eastern Europe, Africa and Asia.

While the overall tone of the conference has been one of concern about the fragile condition of the global economy, delegates have been encouraged by some recent developments, particularly in the U.S.

Declining American interest rates and passage of a tax bill by the U.S. Congress narrowing the budget deficit have provided some hope that the world economy is about to turn the corner after its two-year bout with inflation and recession.

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CHICAGO	15	59	16	61	Cloudy
COPENHAGEN	11	52	12	54	Cloudy
FRANKFURT	13	55	25	77	Cloudy
GENEVA	14	57	20	68	Rain
HELSINKI	5	41	13	55	Clear
HONG KONG	27	81	29	84	Cloudy
JOHANNESBURG	8	46	17	63	Clear
LISBON	16	61	26	79	Clear
LONDON	14	57	20	68	Cloudy
MADRID	15	59	31	88	Clear
MONTREAL	9	48	17	63	Cloudy
NEW YORK	17	63	28	82	Cloudy
OSLO	5	42	15	59	Cloudy
PARIS	16	61	22	72	Cloudy
RIO DE JANEIRO	17	63	32	90	Rain
SÃO PAULO	13	55	18	64	Cloudy
STOCKHOLM	4	39	14	57	Clear
TOKYO	20	68	26	79	Cloudy
TORONTO	15	59	19	66	Cloudy
VIENNA	16	61	28	82	Clear
ZURICH	14	57	20	68	Rain

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Jerusalem	40	17—30	29
Golan	31	16—30	30
Nahariya	68	20—30	30
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Haifa Port	67	24—30	30
Tiberias	37	22—36	35
Nazareth	47	20—32	30
Afula	36	21—33	32
Shomron	46	20—32	31
Tel Aviv	66	22—30	30
B-G Airport	51	21—31	31
Jericho	29	22—38	37
Gaza	77	23—29	29
Beersheba	21	27—34	33
Eilat	17	26—38	38

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

A delegation of 150 current and past members of the French Senate, including Senate Speaker Alain Poher, was the guest of the Knesset yesterday.

World WIZO President Raya Jagiom yesterday announced that Mrs. Paula Gold de Leonescu has given $1.5 million for the construction of a WIZO home for the aged at 40 David Hamelech Blvd., Tel Aviv.

The Haifa Rotary Club will hold a business meeting at the Nof Hotel at 1 p.m. today.

Birth

LEMANN — To Sarah and Hanan, a son, on September 1, 1982, brother to Asher, Miriam and Ya'acov.

ARRIVALS

Swedish WIZO President Charlotte Eitinger and Danish WIZO President Selma Nathan, heading a delegation of 10 WIZO leaders from Scandinavia. This is the eighth group of WIZO activists from abroad to visit the country on solidarity missions recently.

Devaluation speeds up

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The rate of exchange climbed yesterday to IS28.80 per dollar, as the shekel continues to decline rapidly for the second straight week.

Sources at the Bank of Israel said yesterday that the present rate of devaluation does not represent a turning point in the bank's policy, which continues to support an average annual rate of devaluation similar to the annual rate of inflation.

The sources added that during August the shekel was devalued slowly relative to inflation, and in order to protect exporters it was necessary, to speed the pace of devaluation.

Three soldiers hurt in Arava road accident

EILAT (Itim). — Three soldiers were injured, one of them seriously, in an accident yesterday on the Arava road, near Kibbutz Yahel, not far from where a car-bus collision on Sunday left five persons dead and 40 injured.

The soldiers were hurt when the army truck in which they were riding overturned.

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Turks to execute terrorist

ANKARA (AP). — An Ankara martial law court yesterday sentenced to death Leon Ekmekjian, one of two Armenian terrorists who attacked Ankara's Esenboga Airport on August 7 with bombs and and gunfire, killing nine persons and injuring 78.

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El Al flights solidly booked despite religious boycott call

By MICHAEL YUDELMAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The call by the *Council of Tora Sages* for a worldwide Jewish boycott of El Al has so far resulted in few cancellations, and all El Al's holiday season flights are solidly booked with long waiting lists, El Al sources said yesterday.

They said there was no evidence to support Agudat Yisrael MK Menachem Porush's announcement yesterday that he had received telephone calls from hundreds of Jews abroad, saying they have cancelled their flight reservations on El Al.

It was learned that travel agents in the U.S. are reserving space for groups on other airlines, in case of sudden halt to El Al flights on Saturdays and holidays, or in case of cancellations.

The Agudat Yisrael action committee yesterday warned El Al workers that if they continue to abuse religious Jews, the latter would stop flying El Al, even if the airline ceases to operate on Saturdays and holidays. The warning was in response to paid notices from the workers in the press yesterday comparing Agudat Yisrael to terrorist organizations. The notices called Agudat Yisrael members "shirkers" and "evaders" of their duties to the state.

Habad leaders and the ultra-Orthodox Haredi community's religious court placed paid notices in the press today supporting the boycott and instructing their followers to use other airlines.

Religious circles estimate that thousands of Hassidim, who are due to fly to Israel during the holiday season, will use other airlines.

Rabbi Eliezer Shach, of the Council of Tora Sages, reportedly met yesterday with ultra-Orthodox investors from the U.S. to discuss their buying El Al and turning it into an ultra-kosher airline.

El Al's workers yesterday discussed the suggestion that the airline be sold to private and public bodies, which would allow it to continue flying on the Sabbath. Another possibility is to sell Sun D'or, El Al's charter flight company, to Hevrat Ovdim and the workers themselves, thus enabling Sun. D'or, which would not be controlled by the government, to take over El Al's Sabbath flights.

UNIFIL soldiers hold a ceremony at Ben-Gurion Airport yesterday as the body of French Col. Bizeul, who was shot last week in Beirut, was returned to France for burial.
(Yossi Zamir, Scoop 80)

BAZOOKAS

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deployed in northern Lebanon, the Maten Hill area on Mount Lebanon and in the Bekaa.

In addition to the Syrian force, there are several thousand terrorists in the Bekaa and the Tripoli area, he said. Most of them fled from Israeli troops during the war, but some reportedly arrived in the last few days. The new arrivals came with the 4,000 PLO terrorists who sailed from Beirut to Syria, "and we mustn't exclude the possibility that more will arrive," Drori said.

He indicated that political considerations have prevented the IDF from occupying Shtura in the Bekaa. One night during the fighting IDF forces were close to the town and there were no enemy forces in between. Shtura is "a key area for activities in the Bekaa. Militarily it would have been convenient for us to occupy additional areas," Drori said. But there was "a decision not to go there" and troops were withdrawn, he said.

Drori downplayed claims that Israelis were shocked by the size of PLO arms stores, in southern Lebanon. The army had a good idea about them, but seeing the quantity with one's own eyes is more impressive than reading the written reports, he said.

Meanwhile, the army has "considerably" reduced its forces in Beirut although troops have remained in key areas surrounding the Moslem-dominated western sector. Drori declined to specify the conditions for their removal, merely saying they will be withdrawn when their task is completed.

He was equally reticent in talking about the eight soldiers kidnapped from their positions near Bhamdoun on Saturday afternoon. Drori was unable to confirm a PLO report from Damascus that the terrorists were holding the men. "They don't always tell the absolute truth," he said.

But he noted that "various steps are being taken to secure their return." Drori would not say what those measures were and he was not aware of any PLO request for Israeli concessions to secure the soldiers' release.

The general appeared to be as baffled as everybody else as to how the enemy had managed to capture the eight in broad daylight without a fight. This will be probed by a committee appointed by Defence Minister Ariel Sharon.

An officer in the Bhamdoun area has been removed, but that was not only because of Saturday's incident, Drori said. Several "things had happened which justified this step," he said.

The Associated Press adds: One of eight Israeli soldiers captured by Palestinian terrorists in Lebanon was shown to journalists near the Lebanese town of Shtura yesterday.

Samal Reuven Cohen appeared to be in good health as he sat on the floor of a building eating plums and grapes.

Basketball surprises

TEL AVIV. — The opening round of the National Basketball League continued to hold surprises last night as Maccabi Tel Aviv went down to Maccabi Haifa, 98-96. (See page 4 for earlier results.)

REAGAN PLAN

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role of mediator was played in vain and the autonomy talks stalled. Egypt stayed away from the talks for a series of reasons, while Israel created other problems by insisting that Jerusalem must be a venue. No autonomy talks have been held for nearly a year, the sources said, despite two extremely intensive visits to Jerusalem by former secretary of state Alexander Haig. In addition to this stalemate, there was as yet no solution in sight to the problem of bringing Jordan and the Palestine Arabs to the negotiating table.

The American sources conceded, therefore, that the Reagan proposals are a new tactic for their administration. However, it had adopted them in the awareness that both Israel and Egypt had asked the U.S. to be a full partner in the Camp David process (though it was not a party to the dispute). The administration therefore deemed it entirely proper to adopt a new tactic, given the necessity.

The U.S. regretted the substance and manner of Israel's reaction to Reagan's ideas, but was not surprised, the American sources said. They stressed that Israeli leaders described the president's ideas as "much more menacing than they in fact are." The ideas contain what were described to *The Post* as "extraordinarily strong reassurances to give Israel confidence."

The U.S. now expects Israel and the Arabs to reflect on the situation and is certain that "ultimately the negotiations on autonomy will resume."

The U.S. now sees "the autonomy ball being in the Arab court," the American sources said. In reply to the suggestion that perhaps once again, as on so many previous occasions, the Arab states would fumble the ball, the American sources said: "The Arab states could very easily throw away a good chance to get the autonomy negotiations under way again."

PEACE PULLOUT

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and wins over his former foes and rivals, an Israeli official told *The Post* last night.

(By coincidence, this view was advocated to *The Post* yesterday by a diplomatic source in Tel Aviv.)

The other school of thought, which appears to have the upper hand and whose main spokesman is Defence Minister Ariel Sharon, argues that Israel must strike while the iron is hot. This school holds that without Israel, Jemayel cannot get the Syrians and the rest of the PLO out of Lebanon, a fact which can be used as a lever for peace negotiations.

Although the impression gained from the media is of heavy Israeli pressure on Jemayel not to backtrack on commitments he allegedly made in the past to sign a peace treaty, one official here noted that the first pressure on Jemayel came in the form of Syrian and PLO threats against making peace with Israel.

Lebanese Moslem politicians have also objected fiercely to the possibility of his signing a peace treaty with Israel.

The "strike while the iron is hot" school argues that however hard it is for Jemayel to decide on a peace treaty today, it will become much harder after the IDF has left Lebanon, and Arab pressure against an Israel-Lebanon peace has increased — or at least appeared to increase.

At least one Israeli official suggested to reporters that Jemayel was playing hard to get as a result of being courted intensively by American diplomats who advised him not to get too close to Israel.

This is not the first time that the same quarter has alleged American machinations against Israel. However *The Post* could find no grounds for this allegation — any more than it could find for the allegation last month that mediator Philip Habib was guilty of collusion with France and the PLO against Israel.

The declarations of Israeli support for Haddad are not only intended to secure a role for him in supervising security affairs in the South. The government stresses that Haddad has served Lebanese interests patriotically and at constant personal risk, when they coincided with Israel's best interests. Israel could never expect such allies to come forward in the future if it let Haddad down now.

While it is impossible to ascertain the truth of reports here that Jemayel has decided to court-martial Haddad for desertion and treason, it is a fact that charges were filed against Haddad on those counts some years ago.

Reports that a court-martial is pending are not credited by reliable officials in Jerusalem, who note that Haddad and Jemayel met in the past two months and had a *sulha* (reconciliation).

U.S. mediator Philip Habib is understood to have suggested to Prime Minister Menachem Begin in July that the legal solution to the Haddad problem would be the promise of a presidential amnesty. Begin's reply to Habib is said to have been: "Why amnesty? The man is a hero, not a criminal!"

It appears that one reason for Jemayel's suspicion of Haddad can be laid at Israel's door. Sharon gave Haddad the green light to expand his zone of influence northwards past Tyre and Sidon. When Phalange units moved south, the Haddad militiamen shooed them away. The expansion of Haddad's zone was decided on because his men were effective in tracking down runaway PLO members, but the implications for Jemayel were apparently ignored.

Yet another element in the peace treaty issue is the fact that Begin has publicly stated on several occasions that Israel will sign a peace treaty with "a second Arab state this year." Once that prophecy did not appear to be nearing fulfillment, moves were mooted in Jerusalem to make its realization more likely.

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government-controlled television station said. The soldiers now control the coastal road as far north as el-Watta, all of Jnah, the area north of the sports stadium and the thoroughfares leading to the southern neighbourhoods of Bourj-al-Barajneh, Haye Saloum and Leilaki.

The Lebanese Army has begun mopping-up operations in these areas. Lebanese TV said the army yesterday alone removed 900 tons of land mines from the streets in the southern suburbs.

The negotiations reported in the Beirut media followed an advance southward by leftist militiamen along the coastal road to St. Simon and along Camille Chamoun Station Road, just west of the sports stadium. According to the Beirut newspaper *Le Revell*, the IDF threatened to retaliate and advance northward unless the militias withdrew by 11 p.m. on Monday night.

Lebanese sources reported yesterday that Israeli tanks and troops advanced along the coastal strip, but the IDF spokesman in Beirut said that except for some minor "adjustments of position" on Saturday, no troop movements had taken place during the past few days.

The spokesman said that the IDF was trying to "keep a low profile." He said that the Lebanese Army will be a buffer between the leftist militias and the IDF and that the creation of this buffer was the reason for these talks. The IDF had only "improved several strategic positions and observation posts." It had also "opened two axes" for the Lebanese army in the area north of el-Uzai. The IDF was currently positioned along the western end of the main thoroughfare cutting across the city from the defunct Galerie Semaan crossing to the sea.

The IDF spokesman said that some forces had been withdrawn from the Beirut area and a certain thinning-out of forces was taking place. Numerous trailers carrying tanks, personnel carriers and other military equipment were seen yesterday on the coastal highway going south towards Israel.

IDF officers mediated the handing over by the Amal militia of an important intersection at St. Michel on the coast to the Lebanese Army.

Israeli reporters witnessed a meeting of the two sides at the northern end of El-Uzai, after the Amal fighters declined to give up their position. The IDF officers invited the Amal men to coffee and managed to persuade them to withdraw.

The Amal militiamen, ran down their flag, chanting "In spirit and blood we will liberate you, Lebanon." Local residents threw rice as the militiamen fired their assault rifles in the air and left. Ululations filled the air, and more rice was thrown as a Lebanese soldier raised the national flag over the junction.

Poles may send group to help free embassy

WARSAW (Reuter). — The Polish government last night said that it was prepared to send "a special group" to Switzerland to help resolve the occupation of the Polish Embassy in Bern.

An announcement carried by the official news agency PAP did not make it clear whether the group would be composed of people to help negotiate an end to the seige or forces which might be used.

The statement said Poland had asked Switzerland to provide visas for the group and had asked the Swiss authorities to give landing permission to the plane which would take it to Switzerland.

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KEEPING FIT. — Courses in yoga, aerobic dancing and self-defence have been added to the usual courses offered at the Ramat Aviv branch of the Hapoel Sports Organization on Rehov Hauniversita, which opens its activities this week following the summer break.

Ofira Navon, wife of President Yitzhak Navon, embraces two of Sderot's youngest residents while visiting the northern Negev town yesterday. The parents of the boy on the left came to the country from Morocco, and those of the other boy from Ethiopia. (Zoom 77)

'No cut in U.S. arms supplies to Israel'

LONDON. — U.S. Defence Secretary Caspar Weinberger said yesterday that America would not consider cutting off military aid to Israel in an effort to gain acceptance of the Reagan Middle East peace plan.

Weinberger, who is spending a few days in London on his way back to Washington, said that the U.S. was trying to demonstrate to all the countries concerned that "it is infinitely more in their interests to have a settlement of this kind, so that you rely for future peace and security not on very large and very competent armies, but on good relations with your neighbours in recognition of your security and right to exist."

Weinberger, who met with British Foreign Secretary Francis Pym and Defence Secretary John Nott, said that he was encouraged by support for the plan in the Israel Labour Party and in Europe.

Zipori scores U.S. for 'interference'

KIRYAT GAT (Itim). — Communciations Minister Mordechai Zipori said here yesterday that the U.S. is interfering in Israel's internal affairs and Israel should act to prevent this.

"The White House announcement of Monday night, that the administration is pleased at the divisions revealed in the Israeli cabinet concerning President Reagan's plan, is in the nature of interference in the internal affairs of the State of Israel," Zipori told reporters at the Kiryat Gat Economic and Social Club.

Zipori said "Israel should insist" such interference not be repeated. "The Americans should remember that there is a government in Israel, and its policy is the only one which applies," he said, adding that the proposals contained in Reagan's letter are "99 per cent unacceptable to Israel."

In answer to a question about Knesset elections, Zipori proposed that early elections be announced immediately and held within three months, "so that the nation can express its opinion on the American plan."

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the untrustworthy hands of Arab sympathizers of the terror movements."

Shamir explained that this is why "Israel had no recourse but to reject the U.S. proposals outright. These can in no way serve as a basis for negotiations. Each of its segments would have been reason enough to reject the plan, making the package of the whole totally unacceptable."

He argued that the proposals "may have been conceived to appease and compensate Arab states and PLO supporters for the Lebanon defeat."

The foreign minister, alluding to the opposition Alignment, said it pained him to hear "a Zionist party so ardently defend the stand of a foreign power which is harmful and dangerous to Israel's most vital interests."

Committee member Danny Rosolio (Labour) urged the government to review its opposition to the U.S. proposals. "We must not appear as part of the international rejection front. I don't agree with everything in the plan, but some of its points can be discussed."

Yossi Sarid (Labour) declared that "the U.S. cynically exploited Israel and the IDF for its own purposes in Lebanon. Beyond that there is no consultation or cooperation whatever with Israel, when it doesn't suit the U.S."

The Likud's Ehud Olmert said "The redeeming two points in the American plan are opposition to a Palestinian state and to a return to the 1967 frontiers. But since the plan was offered as a package deal, containing so much that is detrimental to Israel, there is no option but to reject the entire package."

Benny Shalita (Likud) advised the government to "conduct its affairs, including settlements, as if there is no American plan. The U.S. publicized its proposals on television, making them tantamount to a *diktat* — and Israel will not be dictated to."

SEMINAR. — About 50 active members of American Mizrachi Women in Israel will attend a leadership seminar at Bar-Ilan University today to learn more about fund-raising, membership recruitment, and other organizational work.

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"We are an American organization, concerned with American foreign policy," he said. "I see my job in strengthening American-Israeli relations. Begin sees his strengthening Israeli security, as Reagan in strengthening American security."

Dine said the ball was now in Jordan's court. "King Hussein rejected President Carter's proposals and never joined the Camp David process. Will King Hussein agree to deal directly with Israel?"

Regarding the Reagan plan, he said: "I see a lot of value in it...I mean it genuinely, particularly because part of the effort is to bring Jordan into the peace process. Jordan is the missing link in the negotiations, and I think President Reagan and Secretary of State Shultz can bring them in. This would be good for America and for the Middle East."

The New York Times, noting that Dine, Boschwitz and other pro-Israel voices in Washington were taking positions which differed from the government of Israel, said that this development "would suggest that the Begin government cannot count on automatic backing from its traditional supporters in this country in opposing the Reagan plan."

Meanwhile, Israeli Ambassador Moshe Arens went to the State Department yesterday to meet with Shultz and to review the Reagan plan. They met for some 45 minutes.

Israeli officials called the meeting "friendly" and "constructive." They said the two men reviewed the background leading up to Reagan's proposals. It was Shultz's first meeting with a ranking Israeli official since Reagan's plan was unveiled last Wednesday night.

Earlier in the day, State Department Spokesman John Hughes expressed hope that the stalled Palestinian autonomy negotiations might be revived soon, despite Israeli statements in recent days that the Reagan plan has made that more difficult.

Later last night, the president was due to host a ceremony in the White House East Room honouring U.S. envoy Philip Habib for his efforts to bring peace to Lebanon. Habib was to receive the nation's highest civilian award — the Medal of Freedom.

TOMORROW — Haga (Civil Defence)

Exercise in EILAT

Tomorrow, Thursday, Sept. 9, there will be a Haga exercise in Eilat. Haga, Israel Police, fire brigade, Magen David Adom, Civil Guard and Gadna personnel will take part. The start of the exercise will be marked by sirens sounding the all clear at 4 p.m. During the exercise, "civil defence" incidents will be staged, and the klaxons of fire engines and rescue vehicles will be heard. In the event of a real attack, sirens will sound a rising and falling note.

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Expert blames apathy for road accidents

By YITZHAK OKED
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The reason that plans for improving the country's roads and toughening up its traffic safety laws are not being carried out is not because the funds are lacking, but because lawmakers and other officials are fatalistic about traffic deaths, the head of the Road Safety Administration said yesterday.

"They see automobile accidents as a plague that we must learn to live with," Moshe Amirav said at a meeting in Ramat Gan sponsored by the National Council for the Prevention of Road Accidents.

Amirav revealed that because of the recent sharp increase in road accidents, the Ministry of Transport has decided to speed up the formation of a new unit that will check cars on the road to see that they are in good repair. According to earlier plans, this unit was to start working only in the winter months. It will instead begin operating next week.

Amirav said that his administration has put a priority on repairing and widening 16 of the country's most dangerous roads. The cost will be about IS2 billion.

Minister of Transport Haim Corfu recently announced that he plans to ask the World Bank for about $200m million to widen these roads from two to four lanes.

Meanwhile, Police Inspector-General Rav-Nitzav Arye Ivtzan said yesterday that he would soon ask Corfu to put his weight behind a proposed law giving any police officer on-the-spot power to suspend for 30 days the driving licence of a driver who was caught committing a serious traffic offence.

Wage talks must be completed today

Post Economic Reporter

Public sector employees will not get a wage increase before the High Holy Days if the current deadlock in the negotiations between the Histadrut and the public employers is not resolved today.

The parties failed to reach an agreement yesterday on the amount of the increase to be granted in advance of the actual wage agreement. The Histadrut has requested an advance on the wage increase in order to provide workers with extra income before the High Holy Days.

Yesterday's meeting was the second this week. A meeting on Sunday ended in a deadlock after the employers rejected a Histadrut demand for a 14 per cent increase.

The Histradrut yesterday offered to lower its demand to 12 per cent. This was accepted by the employers on condition that the IS500 addition to the salaries of low-paid workers, decided on three months ago by the government, is gradually abolished.

Treasury sources said yesterday that the IS500 was granted as an advance on future increases and the Treasury could hardly be expected to grant a new increase to salaries which include this advance. They added that Finance Minister Yoram Aridor, who is currently in Canada, must be informed before any new decisions can be taken.

The negotiations must be concluded today if the increases are to be included in September's monthly wage bill.

Russians arrest pair who seek exit to Israel

MOSCOW (UPI). — A former national chess champion and his wife, denied permission to emigrate to Israel, yesterday demonstrated outside the opening of an international chess tournament and were arrested.

Boris Gulko, 34, said he and his 24-year-old wife, Anna Akhdarumova, also a chess champion, held up a sign outside the Hotel Sport where chess players gathered for the opening. "Let Us Go to Israel" read the sign.

Haig to receive degree from B-G University

BEERSHEBA (Itim). — Former U.S. secretary of state Alexander Haig is to be presented with the honorary degree of doctor of philosophy by the Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, it was announced yesterday. Haig will attend the presentation, scheduled for November 22 at Sde Boker.

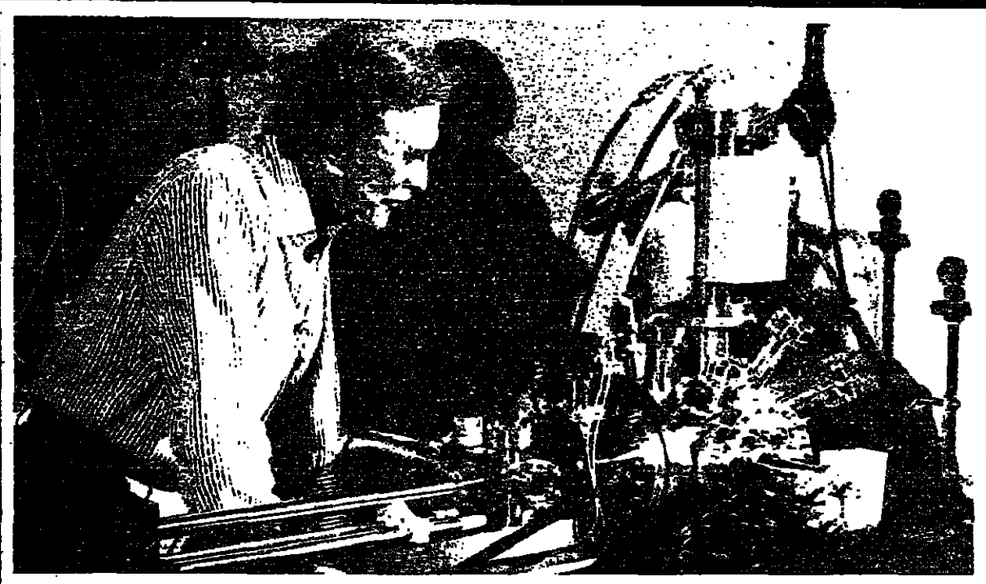
The degree is to be presented in recognition of Haig's friendship and work for Israel.

350 beds in Sheba to go for geriatrics

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Health Ministry has decided to convert about 350 beds in the Sheba government hospital in Tel Hashomer to treatment of geriatric patients, it was announced yesterday.

The plan calls for converting beds in buildings that the hospital is vacating, as new buildings are completed. The ministry hopes the move will ease the demand for geriatric beds and allow patients to be admitted more quickly.



American actor Kirk Douglas gazes at an Auger-Spectrometer, his co-star in a documentary about the Haifa Technion, which was filmed on Sunday. Douglas is in Israel making a TV movie about Holocaust survivors. During his visit to the Technion, he agreed to take part in the 15-minute documentary, which will be shown in Israel and at other institutes of technology around the world. (Yair Noho Nahor)

Image change for jail guards

Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEIT BERL. — The term prison "warder" will soon be changed to "attendant," Prisons Authority director Mordechai Wertheimer told a national convention of prison officers yesterday. The reason for the change is to better define the function of prison as a centre of rehabilitation rather than punishment.

Wertheimer said that in the future private cells will comprise 75 per cent of the area of most prisons, with the remaining rooms holding a maximum of three prisoners.

Another innovation is industry's increasing investment in plants situated within prison grounds. Tadiran, for example, employs 75 prisoners in its electric goods manufacturing plant in Ma'asiyahu Prison in Ramle.

About 40 per cent of Israel's prisoners are illiterate. Wertheimer said, and the authority is building schools in the prisons under the supervision of the Education Ministry.

Four hundred prison officers from throughout the country attended the congress.

UJA campaign in U.S. has profitable summer

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The United Jewish Appeal in the U.S. collected $40 million more this summer than during the same period last year, Jewish Agency treasurer Akiva Lewinsky reported yesterday.

Speaking at the weekly meeting of the Zionist executive, Lewinsky said that summer is usually a slack period for fund-raisers.

Executive chairman Arye Dulzin, who returned this week from a tour of South Africa, told the members that 20,000 of the 120,000 Jews in that country are Israeli emigrants.

Jerusalem 'm'sorati' school named for patrons

The M'sorati School of French Hill was named yesterday after its benefactors, Jean and Samuel Frankel of Detroit, Michigan. The Frankels and their children affixed a mezuzah in the presence of students, Education Ministry representatives and municipal officials.

The Israeli M'sorati movement is an affiliate of the U.S. Conservative Jewish movement.

The school has been operating for six years and now has 442 students in grades one through eight. Professor Lee Levine, one of its founders, said at the ceremony that a high school is also envisioned.

Minister broke vow, Haifa council says

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The Haifa Municipal Council yesterday accused Housing Minister David Levy of breaking a promise he made two years ago to give local young couples preference in the allocation of 2,000 housing units at Ramot Ayalon.

"The housing scarcity has forced young couples to move from the city," a council spokesman said. This despite the fact that the city has already made the necessary payments for the building of the Ramot Ayalon project.

Scientists convene

Scientists and doctors from 11 European countries, plus the U.S. and Canada, yesterday joined their Israeli colleagues in Jerusalem for the opening of the 12th European Conference on Microcirculation.

The central theme of the week-long meeting is the role of minute blood vessels.

BREAKDOWN. — Patients at Rambam Hospital in Haifa are being kept cool with the aid of electric fans after a breakdown in the central air-conditioning system, a Health Ministry spokeswoman said yesterday.

The ISRAEL FESTIVAL Jerusalem 1982

Today, Wednesday, September 8

JERUSALEM
- ★ Evening for Jerusalem — Jerusalem Theatre, 8.30
- ★ Kei Takei — Binyenei Ha'uma, 8.00

TEL AVIV
- ★ West Side Story — Mann Auditorium, 5.30, 9.30
- ★ Sganarelle (American Repertory Theatre) — Camen, 8.30
- ★ The Tokyo Chamber Opera (Japan) — Tel Aviv Museum, 8.30

HAIFA
- ★ Yossele Golem — Haifa Theatre, 7.30, 9.30
- ★ Balet Popular Do Recife (Brazil) — Auditorium, 9.30

OTHER CENTRES
- ★ METULLA — Matnas, Ollantay (Argentina) Folk Music, 9.00
- ★ BEIT SHEAN — Roman Amphitheatre, Jazz, 8.30

Tomorrow, Thursday, September 9

JERUSALEM
- ★ Jazz — Sultan's Pool, 7.00

TEL AVIV
- ★ West Side Story — Mann Auditorium, 4.30, 9.00
- ★ Lulu (American Repertory Theatre) — Camen, 8.30
- ★ Kei Takei — Neve Tzedek, 8.30

HAIFA
- ★ Yossele Golem — Haifa Theatre, 8.30
- ★ Balet Popular Do Recife (Brazil) — Auditorium, 8.30

CAESAREA
- ★ Twyla Tharp Dance Company (New York) — 8.30

EIN HOD
- ★ The Vermeer Quartet (USA) — 9.00

TICKETS: Tel Aviv — Hadran and other agencies. Jerusalem — Jerusalem Theatre. Haifa — Haifa Theatre Galilee — Garber, Haifa. And at the box office, on evening of performance.

'Reading IV' agrees to pollute less

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Electric Corporation has agreed to activate air pollution control devices in its Tel Aviv Reading IV power station, Alexander Donagi, director of the Health Ministry's Institute for the Prevention of Environmental Hazards, said yesterday.

The corporation agreed to limit soot emissions when possible to times when the wind blows away from residential areas, towards the sea. It also agreed to add a magnesium oxide component to its fuel to improve conbustion, thereby reducing poisonous exhaust fumes.

In addition, the corporation is to install devices to monitor air pollution inside and outside the plant, and will report regularly to the ministry on air quality in the area.

The attorney-general's office will be responsible for ensuring the implementation of the plan.

In a related matter, Menahem Tal, the Health Ministry's Haifa district engineer, yesterday ordered the Nesher cement plant in Haifa to shut down one of its furnaces. The filtering system in the furnace, the ministry said, had malfunctioned for a total of more than 10 days allowed annually.

Religious Labour group established

A group of 60 religious members of the Labour Party yesterday established a caucus in Jerusalem with the aim of attracting religious voters to the party.

Rabbi Menachem Hacohen MK spoke at the caucus' opening meeting and called for a resumption of the "historic" cooperation between the Labour Party and the religious public.

Lahat tells police chief: enforce the law or resign

By MICHAL YUDELMAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Mayor Shlomo Lahat said yesterday that he would ask Interior Minister Yosef Burg to tell Tel Aviv District Police Commander Nitzav Avraham Turgeman to do his job or quit. Lahat was referring to the hands-off policy of police in the dispute between the city and parents of pupils at Neve Zahal's Hagalil school.

Speaking at a press conference, Lahat also said that Attorney-General Yitzhak Zamir is examining his charges of police mishandling of the affair, which has kept the school closed for eight days.

"If Turgeman finds his job too difficult, he must take his uniform off and resign," Lahat said. He accused the district commander of shirking his duty by not preventing the Neve Zahal parents from blocking the entrance to Hagalil school, and by not taking action against them for violating the compulsory education law and a court injunction forbidding them to disrupt studies in that school.

"Turgeman is trying to create a dispute between the Neve Zahal and Neve Barbour parents on the one hand and the parents and the city on the other, at the expense of the pupils," Lahat charged. "Turgeman's conduct is a danger to democracy. What is he waiting for? Someone to get beaten up before the police step in?"

The trouble in Neve Zahal began last year, when the city informed parents that their first graders would be moved this year to the Hatikva quarter's Hayarden school, and Neve Barbour's first graders would study in Hagalil school. The Neve Zahal parents oppose this arrangement, claiming that Hagalil is their neighbourhood school. They refuse to let their children go to the Hatikva quarter, and to let Neve Barbour pupils into "their" school.

Lahat said yesterday the city was determined not to compromise with the parents, who must learn that the law and court orders are to be obeyed. He explained that Hagalil school is to be closed within a year or two anyway, and Hayarden school has been newly renovated at a cost of $1.5 million taken from Project Renewal funds.

In a radio interview earlier yesterday, Turgeman said he was not Lahat's private policeman, and as he does not interfere in running Tel Aviv, Lahat should not interfere in police work. Later, Turgeman would not comment on Lahat's charges at the press conference.

Police Inspector-General Rav-Nitzav Arye Ivtzan yesterday supported Turgeman in the school affair, and expressed sorrow that Lahat had made "offensive statements which do not merit comment."

Stolen antique bubbles again for rightful owner

RAMALLAH (Itim). — An 86-year-old local man recently reported the theft of his antique *nargileh* to police. The water-pipe had been in his family for generations, the man told police, adding that he had been smoking with it ever since his youth.

On Monday morning the man was overjoyed to have his *nargileh* returned by a policeman. It had been recovered during a search of the Ramallah *shuk*, when police spotted a youth from Jenin trying to sell it to a passersby. The youth was arrested.

New Finnish envoy

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The new ambassador of Finland, Erkki Calervo Maentakanen, presented his letters of credence to President Yitzhak Navon at Beit Hanassi yesterday.

The 49-year-old envoy, who was born in Laukaa, Finland, is a career diplomat who has held many posts in his country's foreign ministry.

Golan shepherd dies after stepping on mine

GOLAN HEIGHTS. — A shepherd, Mahana Hassan Abu Awad from Bukata village on the Golan Heights, was killed yesterday when he stepped on a mine near Kibbutz Elrom.

The mine was believed to date back to the Six Day War. In the past, shepherds and tourists have been injured in similar incidents in the area.

Pediatric parley to open

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — A conference of the European Society for Pediatric Research is to open on Sunday in Kiryat Anavim, near Jerusalem. Over 100 outstanding researchers from 22 countries are expected to attend.

Eighty scientific papers are to be read, on topics such as the use of ultra-sound to trace brain hemorrhages and how genetic splicing can eliminate genetic diseases, and on new methods of diagnosis.

West Bank court gets first woman magistrate

RAMALLAH (Itim). — The first woman magistrates court judge in Judea and Samaria was appointed yesterday by Menahem Milson, the West Bank civilian administrator.

Iman Nasr-e-Din, was presented with her letter of appointment at a ceremony at Ramallah Magistrates Court, where she will preside.

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More hostages freed from Polish embassy

BERN (Rreuter). — Gunmen threatening to blow up the Polish Embassy released two more women hostages yesterday and allowed a Polish-born intermediary to enter the police-encircled building.

As they did so, the Swiss government tried to negotiate the release of nine persons still being held.

The two women were freed 24 hours after the gunmen took over the mission in protest against martial law in Poland.

The occupiers said they would blow up their hostages, themselves and the embassy within 48 hours unless the Polish government lifted martial law, freed political prisoners, disbanded prison camps and stopped "repressing" the Polish people within 48 hours.

The Polish government yesterday reiterated to the Swiss ambassador in Warsaw that his country should speedily free the hostages and allow the embassy to function normally again.

The Swiss cabinet promised in a statement that it would do all it could to obtain the release but gave no clue as to what action it might be planning as this morning's deadline set by the gunmen drew nearer.

The gunmen — officials say there are at least two of them — on Monday night released a woman who was five months pregnant. Then they allowed a doctor and food and blood-pressure medicines to be brought inside.

Just after the two other women were released — both non-diplomatic Polish staff — an 80-year-old Polish-born theology professor, Joseph Bochenski, entered the building to negotiate for an hour with the occupiers.

He belongs to a crisis group headed by Justice Minister Kurt Furgler, and Swiss officials said they hoped his Polish ancestry would help contacts with the gunmen.

In calls to journalists, the gunmen have described themselves as ex-officers of the Polish Army fighting against Communist dictatorship.

Bochenski, who has been a Swiss citizen for the past 40 years and lives in nearby Fribourg, is an expert on Marxist-Leninist and Soviet philosophy.

Swiss officials said the release of three of the 12 original hostages was a good sign, but they declined to say whether the telephone talks which continued through Monday night and yesterday had brought the siege any closer to an end.

Officials declined to comment on reports that special anti-terrorist forces from other European countries had been flown in to help with the handling of the siege. This happened in August 1978, when West German police helped Swiss authorities storm a hijacked American airliner in Geneva.

Split in Bonn coalition predicted by November

BONN (Reuter). — The crisis facing West Germany's shaky coalition was intensified yesterday by a report that Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher plans to take his Liberal Free Democrats (FDP) out of the government by November.

The report in the weekly magazine *Stern* was instantly dismissed by an FDP spokesman as "part of a game of confusion that contains no truth."

But political sources said the animosity between Chancellor Helmut Schmidt's Social Democrats (SPD) and the FDP has grown so acute in recent weeks that the *Stern* article could light the fuse leading to the final break-up of the 13-year-old coalition.

Stern said that Genscher told conservative newspaper editors that the four FDP ministers would resign before the Liberals' annual congress in Berlin at the beginning of November.

The magazine quoted him as saying: "I will go to Berlin as an ex-minister and I have no doubt that the great majority favours a switch to the (oppositon) Conservatives."

Political observers said a showdown over the *Stern* report between the chancellor and Genscher, who is deputy chancellor and FDP leader, was likely at today's cabinet meeting.

The session will consider a report on a timetable for changes to be made in next year's budget, an issue which has already sharply divided the two parties.

Tomorrow Schmidt presents his state of the nation report to parliament, and there has been speculation that he may use the occasion to ask for a vote of confidence.

Count Lambsdorff, the finance minister, will present a report on his ideas about the economy to the chancellor on the same day. Political observers say the finance minister's free-market approach is at odds with the SPD's welfare state principles and the report could be used by either side as a reason for ending the coalition.

Soviets retake Afghan valley in see-saw fight with rebels

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP). — Soviet troops have recaptured a part of the Panjsher Valley, which has been changing hands between the Soviets and Islamic insurgents fighting in Afghanistan, diplomatic sources said here yesterday. The valley is located 95 kilometres north of the Afghan capital of Kabul.

The reports said that a huge contingent of soldiers entered the Panjsher Valley through Khenjan, which is located north of the Salang Pass. The troops travelled through Andarab Valley and Khawal Pass before reaching Panjsher. Khenj, a part of the Panjsher Valley, has been "recaptured" and "the Soviets now more or less control it," the sources said.

They could not confirm the extent of the area recaptured by the Soviets and did not know the number of casualties on either side.

Western diplomats said "a heavy bombardment of the villages in the Panjsher Valley was undertaken by the Soviets" during the week which ended on Monday — September 6.

Reports received by the sources say that insurgents from the Hazarajan area of Afghanistan are moving to the Panjsher Valley in order to assist the rebel groups there.

In the Shomali area, also located north of Kabul, many villages were bombarded throughout last week in order to punish the insurgents as well as their civilian supporters, according to the sources. Three villages suffered heavily as a result of the Soviet bombing by MiGs flying at high altitude.

The western diplomats said the Kabul-Jalalabad highway, which links the Afghan capital with its eastern provinces and Pakistan, saw a strong insurgent attack on August 30 after remaining comparatively calm and peaceful for several months. The diplomatic report confirms an earlier rebel account of an attack on a government convoy. Three of the trucks in the convoy were smashed by rebel rockets, while three more were set on fire. Three minibuses in the convoy were also hit.

Armenian terrorist admits attack on Ankara airport

ANKARA (UPI). — A young Armenian confessed yesterday to involvement in last month's raid on Ankara's airport in which nine people were killed and 18 wounded.

Two Armenians stormed the Esenboga Airport on August 7 and held about 20 people hostage before being overwhelmed by police.

At his first hearing before a military court, Levon Ekmekciyan claimed Palestinian involvement in the raid and said: "I think it was the Palestinians who gave us the guns and bombs."

The 24-year-old Armenian faces charges of mass murder, bombing and planning the attack — all of which carry a possible death sentence.

Ekmekciyan confessed to being a member of the Armenian Secret Army for the Liberation of Armenia (ASALA). He said he regretted the attack and added that "the court and families of the people shot dead during the raid have the full right to sentence me to death."

He said he was trained in a special camp outside Beirut for one and a half months before being sent to Turkey. He met his accomplice, Zahrab Sarkisyan, in Damascus.

"We were accompanied by a man named Abu Mahmud to the airport, where we took a plane to Istanbul," he said.

Sarkisyan was killed by police during the attack and Ekmekciyan was wounded in the hand and chest.

Leftist rebels blamed for Teheran blast that slew 20

NICOSIA. — The head of Iran's parliament yesterday blamed Mujahedin Khalq guerrillas for the fiery bomb blast that killed at least 20 persons on a crowded Teheran avenue and wounded more than 100, including children.

The bomb in Khayyam Avenue, site of the interior and justice ministries, went off on Monday evening. Teheran radio said that the explosion was "so great that a bus full of passengers and several cars were either damaged or destroyed."

Interior Minister Nategh Nuri said the explosion made a 3 by 4 metre hole in the street, which leads to Teheran's Grand Bazaar.

Security authorities in Teheran reported yesterday the death of Ferhad Nejati, chief of military operations of the Mujahedin Khalq leftists.

The official Islamic Republic News Agency said Nejati was killed in a shootout with revolutionary guardsmen in the southtern Khorassan province.

Subsequently, the agency said, 45 rebels were rounded up in a provincial hideout, where quantities of "hand-made bombs and grenades" were discovered by security officers.

Nejati was "active in all political assassinations," the agency quoted a government statement as saying.

Security men raided two other Mujahedin Khalq centres in the Iranian city of Mashad and, in a shootout, two rebels were killed and six members of another rebel group known as Asraf Dahqan were taken prisoner, the agency said.

A pregnant woman and several children were among the injured in Monday's blast. Prime Minister Seyyed Hussein Musavi declared a national day of mourning yesterday and blamed the blast on the "mercenary hypocrites of America."

In Paris, a spokesman of the Mujahedin organization said "documents, which we have obtained, indicate that the regime planted the bomb and exploded it." (AP, UPI).

Prison terms for South African bombers

PIETERMARITZBURG, South Africa (UPI). — A Supreme Court judge yesterday handed down 20-year jail terms for three men convicted on 57 counts of high treason, attempted murder and carrying out a series of eight bombings in central Durban last year. Nine persons were inured in the explosions.

Defence counsel for Durban attorney Patrick Maqubela, 32; Richard Maqhutyana, 29; and Seth Gaba, 24, said the three would appeal.

Judge Auret van Heerden said the three men conspired with members of the banned African National Congress and its military wing, Umkhonto We Sizwe, in Swaziland "with the object of overthrowing the South African government."

Earlier this year three ANC members were sentenced to hang for high treason and terrorism, but their death sentences were commuted to life imprisonment following international appeals for clemency.

New Delhi speeds food to flood area

NEW DELHI (UPI). — The federal government is rushing rice to the flood-ravaged southeastern state of Orissa following news reports that hungry villagers have started looting food stores, an official said yesterday.

Two weeks of monsoon rain and floods have killed 417 persons in four states.

An official said that a government committee had held an emergency meeting and decided to send 10,000 tons of rice to Orissa, where nearly half of its estimated 22 million people have been affected by floods.

The federal move to send food to Orissa followed news reports that hungry, marooned villagers are looting stores in the Puri and Cuttack districts of Orissa.

Pope delays trip to Spain until after elections

VATICAN CITY (AP). — Pope John Paul II has decided to postpone his planned trip to Spain until after the October 28 Spanish parliamentary election, the Vatican announced yesterday.

The official Vatican spokesman, the Rev. Romeo Panciroli, said the pontiff would make his trip to Spain in early November instead of from October 14 to October 22 as originally planned.

Panciroli did not give any official explanation for the postponement, but some liberal and church political leaders in Spain were known to think that the pope's trip might be used to influence voters.

Spain's Socialist Party is favoured to win the elections.

Tourists escape attack in Zimbabwe

HARARE, Zimbabwe (UPI). — A group of six foreign tourists was given a military escort out of Zimbabwe yesterday after two of them were held up by anti-government rebels near the spot where six other tourists were taken hostage on July 23, official sources said.

Two Swiss tourists were held up by an armed gang on Sunday about 130 kilometres from the southern city of Bulawayo, the sources said. The tourists were rescued when army troops opened fire on the dissidents, who fled.

The Swiss travellers met up with two Candians and two Dutch tourists in the Bulawayo motorists campsite, and they all decided to ask for a military escort to Plumtree on the southern border with Botswana, the sources said.

Six American, British and Australian tourists were seized as hostages in July. Rebels demanded the release of political detainees loyal to minority-Zapu-Patriotic Front Party leader Joshua Nkomo.

Government sources said yesterday they had received two more ransom notes from the dissidents holding the hostages, indicating they were still alive.

Both notes were addressed to Nkomo but were intercepted by police, the sources said.

The notes criticized Nkomo as a "sell-out" for urging the release of the hostages instead of the detainees.

Australia probe reveals vast crime network

CANBERRA (Reuter). — Official investigators who have already provoked a major scandal over tax fraud said yesterday that a large and sophisticated criminal organization controlling drugs, gambling and prostitution is flourishing in Australia.

The latest allegations by the Royal Commission of Inquiry came as a row raged in Parliament over the investigators' previous charges that government legal officers failed for years to stop tax evasion worth hundreds of millions of dollars.

A previously secret section of the commmission's latest report was published in the Senate (upper house) yesterday and is sure to cause further heated controversy.

It said a large criminal organization with foreign connections controlled multi-million dollar rackets throughout Australia — including drugs, gambling and prostitution — using legitimate businesses to "launder" criminal money.

Royal Commissioner Frank Costigan said law enforcement agencies did not have the personnel, equipment, intellectual capacity or legal powers to combat such massive organized crime.

In Parliament yesterday, the opposition Labour Party continued a fierce attack over the tax evasion affair, although a motion censuring the government for failing to remove Attorney-General Peter Durack and Treasurer John Howard was defeated.

During the debate, Labour leader Bill Hayden said the government was the most scandal-ridden in Australia's history.

He said tax evasion schemes had made members of the ruling Liberal Party multi-millionaires, adding that police had told him three Australian baronets had links with organized crime.

Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser, who rejected Hayden's accusations, told reporters that Howard would return early from the International Monetary Fund meeting in Canada to introduce legislation to prosecute tax evaders retroactively.

But he denied that Howard had cut short his trip because of opposition demands that he be recalled immediately to face questioning over the scandal.

Ku Klux Klan determined to rise again

STONE MOUNTAIN, Georgia (Reuter). — Seven factions of the Ku Klux Klan in the U.S. and Canada have formed a "Confederation of Klans."

Don Black, 28, leader of the Alabama-based National Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, which preaches hatred of Jews and blacks, was elected grand wizard of the new confederation. The merger was concluded at a secret meeting on Sunday in a privately-owned lodge near Georgia's Stone Mountain, for years a rallying point for the Klan.

Civil rights leaders in Georgia say that Klan, whose hooded costumes and cross-burning rituals made it the most notorious white-supremacist group in the U.S. for nearly a century, is on the rise again after 15 years of relative dormancy.

West German leaders plan visit to China

BONN (UPI). — West German President Karl Carstens and Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher will make a state visit to China next month, the president's office announced yesterday.

Satellite failure disrupts India's TV, phones

NEW DELHI (UPI). — A U.S.-made telecommunications satellite built to stay in space for seven years stopped functioning yesterday after less than a month in service, the Press Trust of India said.

The satellite was abandoned after it ran out of fuel.

"We have stopped giving commands to the satellite as all the systems on board are down," a space control official said.

The government began an investigation into the satellite failure, which slowed inter-city telephone connections, halted government plans to beam television programmes to provincial areas and upset weather monitoring programmes.

Younger of twin pandas dies in Madrid zoo

MADRID (AP). — One of twin cubs born at the Madrid zoo to Shao-Shao, the panda, last Saturday died of respiratory problems early yesterday.

The manager of the zoo said that efforts to save the life of the cub, kept in an incubator since its birth, proved fruitless as veterinarians were unable to overcome serious respiratory problems.

The first-born cub, the one Shao-Shao has been caring for since birth, according to zoo officials, "is developing normally as the mother lovingly cares for it all the time."

The dead cub was cared for by zoo officials after the mother ignored it.

Anti-arthritis drug withdrawn in UK

LONDON (AP). — The anti-arthritis drug Opren has been permanently withdrawn from use in Britain following reports that 61 people died after taking it, the Department of Health and Social Security announced on Monday.

Pharmacists, hospitals and doctors have been ordered to return all stocks of the drug, whose generic name is Benoxaprofen, to the manufacturer, Dista Products.

Opren was launched in Britain in 1980 and prescribed for more than half a million arthritis sufferers to relieve pain and stiffness.

Sports

Noah shocked by Warwick

NEW YORK (Reuter). — Unseeded Australian Kim Warwick, advised by his doctor to retire last year because of tendonitis in his right shoulder, upset ninth-seeded Yannick Noah of France 5-7, 6-3, 7-5, 6-4 to reach the quarter-finals of the U.S. Open tennis championships. Ivan Lendl, with a vengeful gleam in his eye, crushed Mats Wilander of Sweden 6-2, 6-2, 6-2, thereby wiping out the memory of his defeat by the Swede in Paris.

Top-seeded John McEnroe, seeking his fourth straight U.S. Open title, also gained the quarters when he defeated fellow American Matt Doyle with ease 6-3, 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.

Sixth-seeded Wendy Turnbull of Australia became the highest women's seed to fall when she was upset by Gretchen Rush, an 18-year-old American amateur, 6-3, 4-6, 6-2, in the fourth round. Turnbull, at 29, has described herself as "an ancient" among the teenage army. Rush, the lone remaining amateur in the women's field, had beaten 11th-seeded Yugoslav Mima Jausovec in the second round.

Defending women's champion Tracy Austin of the U.S., seeded third, also reached the quarter-finals along with fifth-seeded Hana Mandlikova of Czechoslovakia, seventh-seeded Pam Shriver of the U.S., American Bonnie Gadusek, and second-seeded Chris Evert Lloyd.

Warwick, 30, ranked 15th in the world, became the first Australian to reach the quarter-finals since Ken Rosewall in 1974. He did so by blunting Noah's powerful service with deft service returns and a blend of power and finesse.

He was more consistent on crucial points during their match before a capacity crowd of 5,000 in the grandstand which adjoins the main stadium at the U.S. National Tennis Centre.

The Australian has made a remarkable comeback since he was out of action for more than than six months last year because of severe tendonitis in his right shoulder. When it failed to respond to treatment, his doctor advised Warwick to retire.

But Warwick, one of the world's best doubles players, disregarded the advice and returned to competition last autumn, finishing the year ranked 84th.

Shlomo Glickstein and Steve Krulevitz are through to the quarter-finals of the doubles, by virtue of a 6-4, 6-4 victory in the third round over Brad Gunn and Warren Maher of Australia. In the second round, they beat Tim Mayotte and Tim Wilkinson 6-4, 6-4. There were upsets in the doubles: Victor Amaya and Hank Pfister defeated McEnroe and Peter Fleming, and the Gullikson twins overcame Fritz and Johan Kriek.

Netanya whip Bnei Yehuda

Post Sports Reporter

NETANYA. — Maccabi Netanya served notice on the soccer players and spectators of Israel of what they intend to do this season under the direction "Mottele" Spiegler, when they crushed Bnei Yehuda 7-0 yesterday in the Yehuda Lillian Soccer Cup competition. Thus they ensured that they will play in the final next Wednesday.

Hapoel Kfar Sava also played aggressive soccer to beat Hapoel Beersheba 4-2. Saturday's matches will determine who will face Netanya in the final.

Astonishing hoop upsets

Post Sports Reporter

TEL AVIV. — There were two amazing upsets in the opening round of the Israel Basketball League on Monday night.

Elitsur Tel Aviv, who have not won a match for two seasons, overcame Hapoel Galil Haelyon 85-82.

The other shock was administered by Hapoel Afula-Haemek to one of the two giants of Israeli basketball, Hapoel Tel Aviv. The Emek team won comfortably 70-58, and made Tel Aviv realize what a gap has been left in their side by the move north of Barry Leibowitz.

His new team, Hapoel Haifa, beat Hapoel Holon, but barely, 80-78. Maccabi Ramat Gan had a runaway victory over Betar Tel Aviv, 113-77. The other Ramat Gan team, Hapoel, also had a comfortable win, defeating Hapoel Gan Shmuel 94-81.

APARTMENTS — Binyamin Gur-Arye, the prime minister's adviser on Arab affairs, said yesterday that Lebanese citizens will be allowed to buy apartments now being built in Nazareth, if they can pay the full price.

China develops new strain of fragrant rice

PEKING (Reuter). — Chinese scientists have developed a new strain of rice which has a strong, appetizing aroma, even when cold, and produces high yields.

Fragrant rice, as it is known, dates back 2,000 years, but yields were low and cultivation was difficult. The new strain, developed after years of hybrid screening, can be planted anywhere in south China.

Jazz 'n' Blues at the Festival

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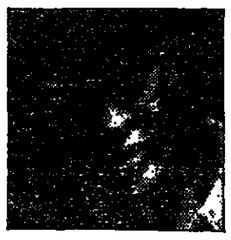
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Warning of a wave of terror

By MARK SEGAL/Jerusalem Post Political Correspondent

A DELEGATION from the Austrian Jewish community has arrived in Israel to sound the alarm, warning of the threat of a wave of terrorist activity against European Jewry following the PLO's dispersal from Beirut. The Viennese Jewish community's vice-president Dr. Ariel Musicant pointed out in an interview with *The Jerusalem Post* that their small community has already been the target of terrorist outrages from both the Abu Nidal faction of the PLO and the Austrian neo-Nazis.

A "hit list" of 120 Jewish leaders was found in the possession of the neo-Nazi thugs caught albeit belatedly, by the police.

Dr. Musicant said part of their reason for coming here was to register their solidarity with the Jewish state and to collect material to counter the anti-Israel atrocity stories fostered in the wake of the war in Lebanon by official Austrian sources and by the Austrian media.

As he put it: "solidarity works both ways," and they wanted Israel to come to the aid of the threatened European communities which must be on the increased alert now that the PLO has made known its intention of renewing terrorist acts against Jewish targets in the Diaspora.

The Austrian authorities refuse to take preventive steps, he pointed out, remarking that "until Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir took office, Israel had forgotten that Diaspora Jews live anywhere except the United States."

Anti-Semitism has once more become respectable in Austria, Dr. Musicant noted, with the violently anti-Israel stance of Chancellor Bruno Kreisky reflected in the media, blurring the distinction between Israel and the local Jewish community.

"We've heard people saying that if, as the media report, Israelis are conducting a campaign of genocide in Lebanon, then what did it matter that we killed a few Jews in the forties," Dr. Musicant reported with a grimace.

He also drew attention to a recent public opinion poll conducted in Austria where one-third of the respondents declared themselves openly hostile to Jews, one-third "not friendly to Jews," and the remaining third "tolerant" of Jews. "We have here a classic example of anti-Semitism without Jews," he noted ironically, adding that "the old Nazis are coming out into the open."

The delegation came here to attend the conference of Israel friendship societies in West Germany, Switzerland and Austria. It comprised Rabbi Haim Eisenberg, Dr. Jacob Allerhand, Fritz Weisel, Dr. Edwin Turkoff and himself.

Dr. Musicant confirmed that survivors of the Holocaust never got any compensation for their sufferings from Austria, and many of them had failed to regain their family property, often sold under duress after the Anschluss. "The Austrians persuaded the world that they too were victims of the war."

DR. MUSICANT and Dr. Turkoff, both in their thirties, reflect the youth revolution that overtook the 8,000 strong Viennese Jewish community (there are a few hundred Jews also living in Graz, Linz and Salzburg) last year.

Both speak Hebrew fluently, and they dwelt on their emphasis on education. They operate a school and two kindergartens and have opened a Jewish community centre in Vienna.

Since last year they have increased their budget for security arrangements in the community but it will not suffice to protect them if the threatened upsurge of anti-Jewish terror becomes real. "When they attacked our synagogue, we shot back," he related proudly.

Anti-Israel and anti-Jewish terror has become the common meeting ground of the ultra-right and the ultra-left, with the PLO office serving as the arms smuggling depot.

"The fact is that Kreisky legitimized attacks on Jews and Pro-Israel Austrians when he blamed Israel's policy towards the Palestinians for the Abu Nidal attack on our synagogue last year. It meant that he gave them a kind of *carte blanche* to conduct acts of terrorism on Austrian soil," the Viennese community's young leaders said hotly.

It took the Austrian police over six months to find the killers of Heinz Nittel, the late chairman of the Austrian Friendship Society and vice-mayor of Vienna.

Then came the attack on Nazi hunter Shimon Wiesental, plus assaults on other persons on "the hit list." The community's past-president Edek Reisz, Vienna Chief Rabbi Prof. Akiva Eisenberg and Austria-Israel Friendship Society vice-chairman Dr. Alexander Gise were all attacked.

These assaults, combined with recent bombing of cemeteries had Jewish-owned shops and a Jewish-owned bank plus the desecration of cemeteries had created a climate of terror in the small Jewish community of the Vienna which so rapturously welcomed Hitler in 1938.

The community has also found itself under attack from a group of assimilated Jews who printed anti-Israel advertisements in the local press (and in the *Jerusalem Post*) during the war.

The list of 54 names was headed by Dr. Karl Kahana, a life-long friend of Kreisky who last year withdrew all his investments in Israel (Mollet Paper, etc.), and included the Chancellor's son Peter — all of them estranged from the Jewish community, yet setting themselves up as "Jews against Israel."

This naturally gave rise to considerable resonance throughout the country.

Dr. Turkof, who is in charge of youth affairs and information on the community presidium, spoke of the ideological dilemma facing many young Jews at present, who are asking questions that have not been properly answered. He even reported a group of PLO supporters among Jewish students at the university.

Heinz Nittel: it took the Austrian police over six months to find his killers.

Mr. Kupat Holim

By MACABEE DEAN/Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEN YEARS have passed since the death of Moshe Soroka, a man who spent half a century building Kupat Holim. Born in Russia in 1903, he settled here in 1920, and after a short spell of road building, he was seconded to the fledgling Kupat Holim in 1921.

During subsequent years, as he rose in position and power until he headed the huge organization, he worked tirelessly although generally quietly behind the scenes, to make health services better.

He was a practical man, and he never believed that the day would come when the majority of patients would not complain about medical shortcomings in this organization. "When you're sick, you feel bad; when you feel bad, you complain."

The problem, he believed, was that after the sick recovered they did little to improve health services for others.

But he, sick or well — until the day when a heart ailment struck him down — did everything to make sure that Kupat Holim was constantly improved. He conducted a long argument with the men and women who formulated Kupat Holim policy.

"Our job is not to persuade patients that a socialist medical service is the best, but to deliver the best possible help to the greatest number of persons at the lowest possible cost."

Moshe Soroka

This could be done, he believed, by a doctor receiving patients in his own quiet, private clinic; or, it could be done in a large, noisy, public clinic.

And all Kupat Holim could do was to constantly try to improve itself, knowing full-well that there, was always room for more improvement. When he died ten years ago, his message — "constant self-improvement" — was a monument which in the long run has shown itself to be more important than all the physical structures he helped to initiate, plan and build; one of them the hospital in Beersheba, bears his name.

Determined woman

ALICE IVY HAY of Seaton, whose death was announced in these columns recently, was the mother-in-law of Orde Wingate. Her father, Herbert John Wigmore, left the comfort of his home in the west of England to wrestle with the soil in the new and unknown land of Southern Australia more than a hundred years ago. When Ivy was 12, she was taken to London where she studied music and distinguished herself both as a violinist and a singer. Her first husband, the father of Lorna Wingate, was Walter Edward Moncrieff Paterson of Tilliefoure, Aberdeenshire. After his death, she married Malcolm Hay of Seaton, the noted historian. She was created a Dame of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, as Malcolm Hay had been a Knight of that Order.

She first visited the Land of Israel in 1935, after Lorna's marriage to Orde, but it was only when he was posted here in 1937 that she stayed with them in Jerusalem and learnt that they were Zionists. She wrote of that moment that "without knowing it, I must always have ben a Zionist too."

In spite of the intense disapproval of nearly all her British friends, Ivy became well known in Britain as a vehemently pro-Zionist public speaker.

She counted among her close friends Chaim and Vera Weizmann, David and Paula Ben-Gurion and Moshe and Zipporah Sharett and, as she wrote, "I am glad to say I also met two great women Henrietta Szold and Manya Shochat." She bought a small house in Panorama Road in Haifa and lived there for some years. Although not very good at languages, she steadfastly refused to speak English in this country, always replying to people in Hebrew.

In later years in Edinburgh, Ivy Hay, still continuing to fight for Eretz Yisrael, made a home from home for many Israelis visiting Britain.

She was very close to Orde, as close as a mother to a son, and wrote the most perceptive book about him: *Letters to my Grandson*. She alone recognized his *spiritual* contribution to the strength of Israel's leaders in 1948, who were the young friends of his day. Ben-Gurion wrote of her book in 1963: "...a double light radiates from your letters about Orde: the light of his greatness is reinforced by the radiance of the writer's personality."

Alice Ivy Hay is undoubtedly part of the history of this country, which she loved until her death. This love is perpetuated, for she has left a large sum of money to fight anti-Semitism.

PETER SINCLAIR-THOMSON

Today at the Israel Festival

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Tel Aviv: *West Side Story*, Mann Auditorium, 4.30 and 9 p.m. American Repertory Theatre, *Sgnarelle*, Cameri Theatre, 8.30 p.m. *The Girl From Andros*, Neve Tzadek Theatre, 7 and 10 p.m. Tokyo Opera, Tel Aviv Museum, 8.30 p.m.

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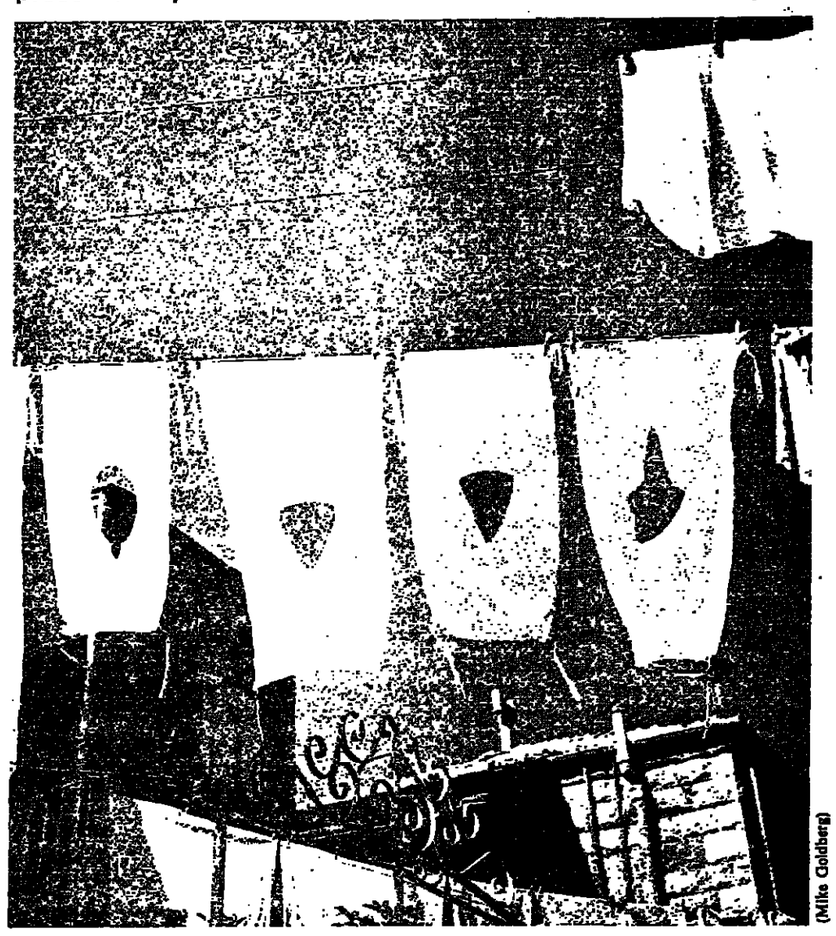
Holiday fare

An array of main dishes for festive New Year's meals is presented by The Jerusalem Post food editor Haim Shapiro.



(Mike Goldberg)

STARTING THE YEAR right for Jews is not just a matter of pleasant thoughts. There is the very concrete aspect of Rosh Hashana traditional foods, the most common of which is, of course, apple with honey, eaten to ensure that we have a sweet year.

Also traditional for the holiday table is pomegranate *which, according to tradition, has 613 seeds, the number* of commandments given in the Tora. Also traditional is the head of a fish, served to each member of the family in some homes, so that we might be "the head and not the tail."

Other traditional Rosh Hashana foods rely on a play on words in Hebrew. The recently published *Ochel Morokai* (Moroccan Cooking), by Rina Ben Simhon (Kinneret), lists eight such foods, including beet salad, cooked quinces, figs, dates and pumpkin squash with raisins, onion and cinnamon.

I personally recall the holiday eve ritual with mixed feelings, having year upon year fiddled with the fish head on my plate. It has only been in recent years that I have come to appreciate the special taste of a well-cooked fish head and freed myself of the fastidiousness that kept me from enjoying it.

In addition to the symbolic foods, one naturally wants to serve a festive dinner, a desire encumbered by the fact that few of us really appreciate eating four such festive meals on the two days of the holiday. Observant families are also encumbered by the fact that the first day of Rosh Hashana this year falls on Shabbat, making it necessary to have virtually the entire holiday meal ready in advance.

Needless to say, most of us will take advantage of the fact that our summer vegetables are still flourishing, making it possible to contrast some of the heavy holiday meals with fresh salads.

Tongue in Sweet Sauce

One of my favourite holiday foods for Rosh Hashana is tongue in a sweet sauce, a dish which is especially easy because it can be made well in advance and even frozen if necessary. During my last visit to my local supermarket, I noticed that frozen imported tongues, both pickled and plain, were in good supply. Although they were hardly what one would call cheap, they were not terribly more expensive than other meats.

To make a tongue in sweet sauce, use either a pickled tongue or a plain one. Buy a good-sized tongue weighing at least a kilo and a half. You might also consider buying two, using one for the hot dish and leaving the other for luncheon, to be eaten cold.

If you do use a plain tongue, put it in a pot with cold water to which you have added about three bay leaves, a dozen whole peppercorns, five or six cloves of garlic, half a cup of vinegar, two tablespoons of salt, some allspice and a piece of nutmeg. Bring it to the boil and simmer for a couple of hours. For a pickled tongue, simply start with plain cold water.

When the tongue is easily pierced with a fork, remove it from the pot, rinse with cold water and peel off the outer skin. Then leave the tongue to cool. When it is cold, it can be nicely sliced and reheated with the sauce.

For a very easy sauce, you can simply mix jam with vinegar to taste, add raisins and flavour with some ground ginger. If necessary, add a little cornstarch mixed with water to thicken the sauce.

As for me, I prefer a sauce which reflects both my Ashkenazi origins and my Mediterranean inclinations. I begin by browning three or four cloves of garlic in a little olive oil and adding a good handful of chopped parsley, letting the herb cook just long enough to send up a glorious aroma. For those who have followed my advice in the past and grown fresh basil, this too is a welcome addition.

Having peeled about a kilo of tomatoes, I then add these to the sauce. There are those who would remove the seeds, but I think they are hardly harmful. To finish it off, I add about half a cup of raisins and a good dollop of sweet wine. The amount depends upon taste, the size of the tongue, and how much wine you have in the bottle.

Cover the sauce and simmer until the tomatoes are soft, but not disintegrated. Arrange the tongue in a heatproof dish, cover with the sauce, heat and serve. This is, of course, an excellent dish to be kept for an hour or two on a Shabbat heating platter.

Meat Tzimmes

A main dish that brings back tender memories is *tzimmes*, not the plain boiled carrots that one so often sees, but a hearty preparation in which the carrots are complemented by meat and potatoes. In fact, in many Ashkenazi homes carrots too are a traditional food for Rosh Hashana because they resemble coins and thus symbolize prosperity.

To make the *tzimmes*, clean and slice three or four kilos of carrots and place them in a large roasting pan or pot, together with four or five large chopped onions. Add a large piece of beef. Brisket *(haze)* is ideal because the dish needs some fat to cook properly.

Cover the vegetables and meat with water and season with salt, pepper, ground cloves and allspice. In my family, the natural sweetness of carrots and onions is considered sufficient, but others like to add sugar, honey, prunes or raisins.

Cook the meat and vegetables in a medium oven for about two hours. It can also be cooked on top of the stove over a very low fire (after being brought to the boil). When the meat is quite tender, spread a mixture of four or five grated potatoes, an egg and about half a cup of matza meal or flour over the top. This potato dumpling will absorb the excess liquid and form a crusty top.

Continue baking for at least half an hour. This dish too is excellent when prepared in advance and reheated, in which case it would be wise to slice the meat when it is cold.

Mock Birds

For those with only a small number of mouths to feed, there are dishes which, while no less complicated, can be made in relatively small quantities. One such item is "mock birds" which are traditionally made by stuffing slices of veal. This is very good with slices of frozen imported veal, but it is also excellent with slices of turkey breast.

Simply pound each slice of meat flat, using a meat hammer or an empty bottle. Spread a mixture of dry bread crumbs, chopped onion and chopped apple as well as salt and pepper, on each slice and roll it up, fastening it with a toothpick. Dust each roll with flour and fry until brown. For the sauce, fry more chopped apples and onions and add a spoon or two of honey, together with lemon juice to taste. Pour the sauce over the meat and heat in the oven or over a very low flame on top of the stove.

Lamb with Quince

And if you want something a bit more exotic, I could recommend the lamb with quinces suggested in Ben Simhon's new book. To make this dish wash and peel a kilo of quinces and cut them into thin slices. Then, in a large pot, fry two chopped onions together with half a cup of raisins.

Add a kilo of shoulder of lamb, cut into portions, together with the quinces, a tablespoon of sugar, a teaspoon of cinnamon and a pinch each of ground ginger and clove. Cover with about four cups of water and cook for about two hours over a medium flame.

Since virtually all of the above dishes are served with a sauce, they would be very good served with rice. To make your rice a little more festive, try frying a few almonds or pine nuts and sprinkling them on top. Another interesting dish that is easy to make quickly is steamed burghul. Simply add two cups of boiling water and a teaspoon of oil for each cup of burghul and simmer until the water is absorbed. For a special dish, fry onions and mushrooms first and add the burghul to them.

If you feel that your meals must be dietetically balanced, even on holidays, try to keep the vegetables simple. This is the time to take advantage of frozen vegetables. Or simply slice beautiful ripe tomatoes and serve them sprinkled with finely chopped parsley, green onion and any other herbs growing in your garden, together with oil and vinegar.

For dessert, you could do no better than to try the honeycake, the recipe for which you will find elsewhere on these pages.

A Sweet New Year

The tradition of eating honey on Rosh Hashana provides gastronomic inspiration for Esther Hecht.

(Mike Goldberg)

AFTER A BITTER summer of warfare it will be a double pleasure to usher in the New Year with honey and to hope that the coming year will be sweetened with peace.

Honey has been part of our gastronomic culture for more than two millenia. It is mentioned frequently in the Bible, especially in the recurring description of the land of Canaan as "a land flowing with milk and honey." Nogah Hareuveni, in *Nature in our Biblical Heritage* (English translation by Helen Frenkly), corrects the popular misconception that the milk and honey in this description were products of agriculture. "Honey is mentioned several times in the Bible, but never is there an implication that it is a cultivated product. Apiculture developed many centuries later and is referred to in the Talmud. The Biblical bees were wild bees, and the honey they produced was considered public property."

Because of its distinctive flavour and its ability to create a glaze, honey can turn quite ordinary ingredients into a festive dish. Here are two holiday chicken dishes, glazed with honey; *tzimmes* with everything good in it; and, for dessert, a honey cake.

BAKED CHICKEN ORIENTALE

1 chicken (about 1½ kg.) cut into serving pieces
¼ teaspoon pepper
4 tablespoons margarine
¼ cup honey
¼ cup lemon juice
1 tablespoon soy sauce

Arrange the chicken pieces, skin side down, in a greased baking dish. Bake in a medium oven (350 F.) for 30 minutes. Meanwhile, heat together in a saucepan all the ingredients of the sauce. Turn the chicken skin side up and pour the sauce over it. Bake another 30 minutes, basting periodically.

Serves 4-6

GLAZED CHICKEN WITH BREAD-NUT STUFFING

1 large whole chicken (2-2½ kg.)
½ cup margarine or chicken fat
½ cup chopped almonds
½ cup minced onion
½ cup finely chopped celery stalks
2½ cups cubes of stale challah or white bread
½ teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
1 egg
1 cup chicken soup *or* 1 chicken soup cube dissolved in 1 cup boiling water and cooled
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
1 cup orange juice
2 teaspoons grated orange rind
¼ cup honey
¼ cup oil

In a large frying pan sauté the onion, celery and almonds in the margarine or fat until the vegetables are tender. Add the bread crumbs and toast lightly. In a large bowl combine the salt, pepper, egg, cooled chicken soup, and orange rind. Add the sautéd bread and vegetable mixture and mix well. Fill the chicken with this stuffing and sew up the opening.

Place the filled bird on a rack in an open roasting pan with the breast side down for the first half of the roasting time. Combine the orange juice, grated rind, honey and oil in a saucepan over low heat, and pour oven the chicken. Bake in a slow oven (325 F.) for 2 to 2½ hours, or until browned and tender. Turn the bird so the breast side is up after one hour. Baste frequently.

Serves 8.

TZIMMES

1 large can pineapple slices with juice (about 800 gr. net weight)
¾ kg. carrots
½ kg. onions
½ kg. potatoes (white and/or sweet potatoes)
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon ginger
½ cup honey
1 tablespoon brown sugar
¾ cup water
200 gr. prunes
100 gr. raisins
100 gr. dried apricots
100 gr. walnuts or pecans
¼ cup lemon juice
1 tablespoon cornflour dissolved in 1 tablespoon cold water

Peel carrots, onions, and potatoes. Cut the pineapple slices, carrots, onions, and potatoes into bite-size pieces. Put these in a large pot with the pineapple juice, salt, ginger, honey, brown sugar, and water. Bring to a boil and then simmer, covered, until the vegetables are almost tender. Add the prunes, raisins, and apricots and cook until all ingredients are tender. Stir in the walnuts and the lemon juice. Add the cornflour and water mixture and continue simmering until the sauce is clear and slightly thickened and the flavours are blended, about 30 minutes. If the tzimmes is not sweet enough, add a little more honey.

Serves 8-10

HONEY CAKE

This is my mother's recipe. I like to experiment with cakes, but this is one recipe I follow religiously so as to be sure to have exactly the honey cake I remember from my childhood.

1 cup honey
1¼ cups brown sugar
4 eggs
1 cup oil
1 cup black coffee (or tablespoon instant coffee dissolved in 1 cup boiling water and cooled)
3½ cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon cinnamon
1 teaspoon ground allspice
grated rind of 1 orange
1 cup chopped walnuts or pecans

about 20 halves of walnuts or pecans to decorate the top.

Start beating the honey and brown sugar in an electric mixer at medium speed. Add one egg at a time and shift mixer to high speed. Continue beating for 10 minutes. Add the cup of oil very slowly, and continue beating another 10 minutes. Add the grated orange rind. Sift together the flour, baking powder and baking soda, salt, cinnamon, and allspice. Slow mixer to lowest speed. Add the flour mixture and cooled coffee alternately, and beat only until fully mixed. Stir in the chopped nuts.

Grease and flour a 23 by 33 cm. (13 by 9 inches) baking pan. Pour in the batter and arrange the nut halves on top. Bake in a preheated slow oven (325 F.) 1½ to 1¾ hours. If you use a pyrex baking pan in an oven with the heat source at the bottom, put a piece of aluminium foil that is slightly larger than the baking pan under the pan, shiny side down. This will keep the bottom of the cake from burning before the top is baked. When cooled, the cake can be removed from the pan, cut in two or three parts, wrapped in aluminium foil, and stored in the refrigerator or freezer.

ENTERTAINMENT

TELEVISION

EDUCATIONAL:
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CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMES:
17.30 Ritch-Ratch — children's entertainment (repeat)
18.00 Alice in Wonderland — TV adaptation of the children's classic

ARABIC-LANGUAGE programmes:
18.30 News roundup
18.32 The Harper Valley P.T.A.
19.00 Agriculture Magazine
19.30 News

HEBREW PROGRAMMES resume at 20.00 with a news roundup
20.03 The Duchess of Duke Street: No Lawyers No Letters. Series about domestic life in London at the turn of the century. Starring Gemma Jones
21.00 Mabat Newsreel
21.30 Moked — weekly interview hour
22.05 Reap the Wild Wind. Cecil B. De Mille's 1942 film about a team of 19th century sunken ship salvagers in Georgie. Starring John Wayne, Ray Milland, Paulette Goddard, Raymond Massey and Susan Hayward
24.05 News

JORDAN TV (unofficial):
17.40 Cartoons 18.00 French Hour 18.30 (JTV 3) Richie Rich 18.40 (JTV 3) Amazing Animals 19.00 News in French 19.30 News in Hebrew 20.00 News in Arabic 20.30 The Two of Us 21.00 One Hundred Great Paintings 21.10 We'll Meet Again 22.00 News in English 22.15 Big Hawaii

ON THE AIR

First Programme

6.11 Musical Clock
7.07 (stereo): Morning Melodies
8.05 (stereo): Vivaldi, Gloria (Teresa Berganza, Lucia Valentini, Riccardo Muti); Haydn: Sinfonia Concertante in C Major for Violin, Cello, Oboe, Bassoon and Orchestra (Los Angeles Philharmonic, Zukerman)
9.05 (stereo): Rodrigo: Fantasia para un gentilhombre for Guitar (John Williams, Groves); Mendelssohn, Piano Concerto in A Minor (John Ogdon, St. Martin's, Marriner)
10.05 (stereo): Dvorak: Bagatelles op. 149; Prokofiev: Five Poems (Vishnevskaya, Rostropovich), Schubert, Symphony in B Minor No. 8 Unfinished (Berlin Philharmonic, Maazel)
11.05 Sephardi Traditions
11.15 Elementary School Broadcasts
11.30 Education for Ali
12.05 (stereo): The Tel Aviv Trio — Mozart, Trio in E Major, K. 542; Brahms Trio No. 3 in C Minor, op. 101
13.00 (stereo): An Hour with Cellist Paul Tortelier — C.P.E. Bach, Cello Concerto; Beethoven, Sonata No. 5 in A Major, op. 69; Kurzinsky: Sketch
14.10 Children's programmes
15.55 Notes on a New Book
16.05 (stereo): Israel Festival Preview
17.00 Talmud lesson
17.20 Introduction to the Oral Law
17.35 Programme for Olim
20.05 Everyman's University
20.35 (stereo): The Israel Festival — Ollantay — Folk Ensemble from Argentina
22.30 (stereo): Yaron Windmueller, baritone, Thomas Russel, piano — Schubert: Eight Songs; Zachariah Plavin, piano — Beethoven Sonata in C Minor, op. 11, Ravel, Le Tombeau de Couperin; Prokofiev: Dance from Romeo and Juliet
00.10 Night Music

Second Programme

6.12 Gymnastics
6.22 Agricultural Broadcast
6.35 Editorial Review
6.54 Green Light — drivers' corner
7.00 This Morning — news magazine
8.05 All Shades of the Network — morning magazine
12.05 A Hole in the Net
13.00 Midday — music, news commentary
14.10 In a Minor Tone — with Ehud Manor
16.10 Press Conference — introduced by Yitzhak Golan
17.10 Magazine
17.25 Of People and Places
18.05 Programme for Senior Citizens
18.47 Bible Reading — Psalms 99
19.00 Today — people and events in the news
20.10 Sephardi songs — recordings of a live performance
21.05 Jazz Corner
22.05 Questions and Answers on *Halachic* matters
23.05 Good Evening from Jerusalem

Army

6.06 Morning Sounds
630 University on the Air — Prof. Samuel *Sambursky lectures on Ancient Greece*
7.07 "707" — Alex Ansky reviews the morning papers
8.05 IDF Morning Newsreel
9.05 Right Now
11.05 Musical Requests — with Shira Gera
12.05 Israeli Summer — with Eli Yisraeli
14.05 Two Hours — music, anecdotes and interviews
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17.05 IDF Evening Newsreel
18.05 Hibat Zion 1982 — meeting Jewish youngsters spending the summer in Israel
19.05 Music Magazine — with Orly Yaniv
20.05 Foreign Language Hit Parade
21.00 Mabat Newsreel
21.35 University on the Air (repeat)
23.05 Army and Defence Magazine (repeat)
00.05 Midnight Newsreel
00.15 Night Birds — songs, chat with Eli Moher

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The noodle man

The local culinary scene has expanded, thanks to the arrival of a champion DIM SUM chef from Hong Kong, according to Avi Alexander.

(Photos by Shaul Golan)

IN HONG KONG the businessmen sit around all morning over a pot of tea. From time to time, a waiter circulates with a cart bearing an array of little bamboo baskets and the businessmen may choose one.

The little baskets are, in fact steamers, and each one contains one or two dumplings. The little snacks, known as *dim sum*, are a tradition in Chinese life, especially in Hong Kong, although they are hardly known in the West.

Those Westerners who are acquainted with *dim sum* often prefer them to other types of Chinese food. The main difference lies in the fact that Chinese might order one or two items during an entire morning, a Westerner, eight or 10. One can find *dim sum* in New York or San Francisco, but one would hardly expect to find it in Israel.

That is until Rafi Shauly, Israel's best known restaurateur decided that he had to introduce it into his Singing Bamboo restaurant in Tel Aviv. The result is not only a new type of food, but a show as well.

Shauly went to Hong Kong and returned with Chen Ming, 25, who in 1981 won a contest on local TV as the colony's fastest noodle maker.

He prepared for the job since he was 14, he said, with the help of an interpreter. It took him about four years before he could actually make the little dumplings filled with meat, seafood and vegetables himself. *Dim sum* itself, he explained, is a northern Chinese delicacy, coming from the part of China where wheat flour, rather than rice, is the staple.

At the Singing Bamboo, Chen works behind a plate glass window, tossing and twisting his noodles in full view of the patrons of the restaurant's bar. Bar manager Idi Fuchs says that she has already gotten quite an education in the art of noodle making.

In fact this is not his first visit to Israel. He came two years ago, but returned because he was lonely. This time he has come with his wife, whom he married in the interim and he seems quite content, despite the fact that he speaks no language other than Cantonese.

Off the vine

Nutrition columnist Lilian Comfled finds that grapes are enough to keep her happy.

IT WAS LUCKY for me that the day before I became ill with a virus I had bought a tray of muscat grapes, of about 10 kilos.

I had intended to make jam the next week. Instead the grapes became not only our fruit but our vegetables too.

I had a well stocked freezer of meat, fish, frozen vegetables and cheese and the grapes supplemented them admirably. Breakfast was bunches of grapes instead of grapefruit, lunch included omlettes or fish with grapes for dessert and supper of cheese, crackers and grapes was delightful.

Watching television at night, we nibbled on he succulent muscat and didn't miss chocolate or cake. And the strange thing is we never tired of grapes during two weeks.

We had grape juice, milk and grape shakes and cocktails and we cooked our chicken and duck with grapes. We had grapes in jelly and trifle, cakes made with grape and raisins, muesli with *leben* or yoghurt and grapes. We also had blinztes filled with cheese and grapes.

To make the juice if you have no juicer, put the grapes in a large pot and crush them with a heavy glass. Strain and use the residue for making fruit soup. When eating grapes do not slip off the skins. You can eat the whole thing even the seeds. The whole fruit with skin is more nutritious and good for intestinal health. Grapes are easily digested and as witnessed in hospitals the favourite fruit for invalids from time immemorial.

There are about 100 grape varieties in Israel. The most common are dabouki, large and succulent; Tamar, long, thin-skinned and sweet; Muscat, purplish and rich flavoured; Alphonse, full bodied, dark and less sweet; and the seedless Sultan, Pearl and Thompson varieties.

Their fruit sugar varies from 15 per cent to 18 per cent. In addition they have vitamin, minerals and organic acids which are wonderful for digestion. Grapes have more protein than grapefruit, but less vitamin C.

(Richard Nowitz)

The grape cure is famous in European spas, which claim that it is excellent for metabolism and refreshes the blood. Although grapes contain 81 per cent water, two kilos daily will supply 395 grams of sugar, nearly 1,400 calories of food and drink.

They are not only nourishing, but healing. Only those with stomach illnesses or diabetes must be careful. Twelve large grapes can replace 100 grams of ordinary fruit in the diabetic diet.

Grapes should be well washed before cooking or eating and should be chewed well.

Extra grapes can be frozen. Wash and wipe dry on paper towels. Spread on a cookie sheet or aluminium foil and when frozen put into plastics containers. The late grapes from around Jerusalem are very sweet and are wonderful for eating and freezing. Grapes can also be covered with a light lemon syrup and frozen in containers.

A homemade grape wine is easily made from the Concord type blue grape. Wash, stem and crush the grapes. For every two cups add 1½ to two cups of sugar. Keep in a warm place covered with cheese cloth for two weeks. Bring to the boiling point and strain. Pour into sterilized bottles. Five kilos of grapes will yield 8 litres of juice. Keep in a cool place. For a long drink, dilute the wine with iced water or soda.

When cooking grape jam add an apple for pectin. Crush the grapes, add a little water and cook until the pips float. Remove pips with a perforated spoon. Add a grated apple or orange or lemon. For every cup of fruit add ¾ cup of sugar and boil until thick.

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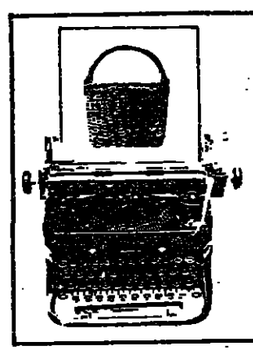

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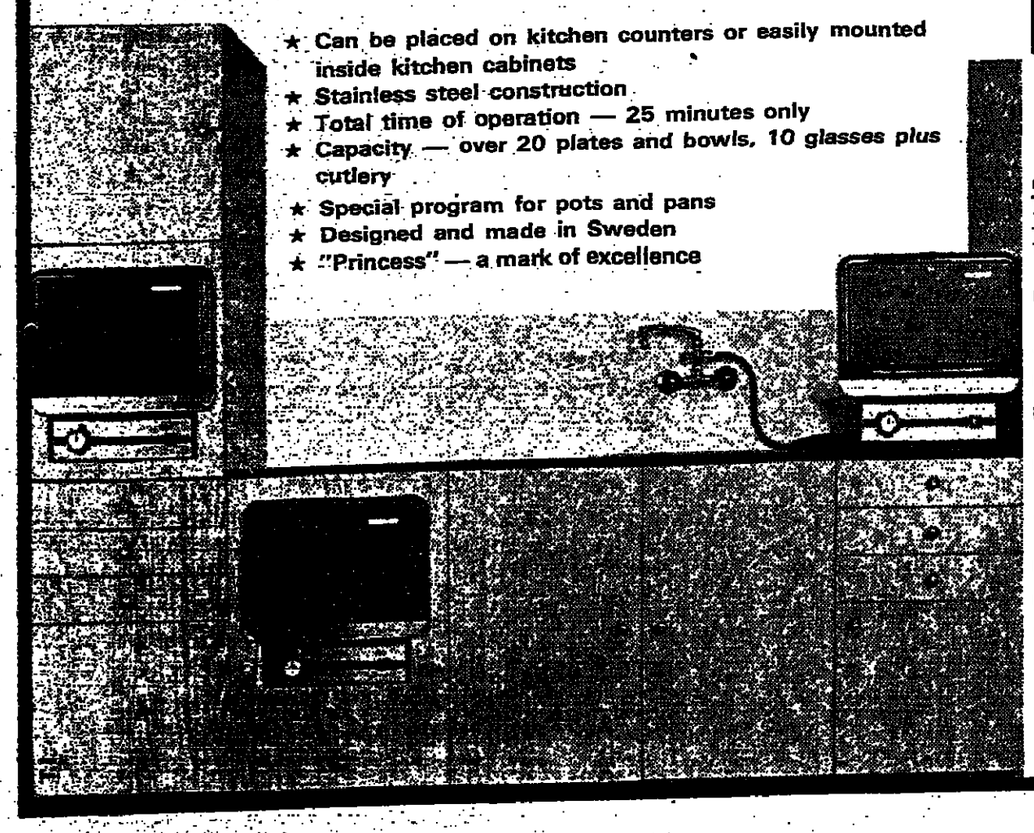

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Israelis coming back to Wall Street

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN
Post Finance Reporter

TEL AVIV. — On August 18 Shearson-American Express cabled its offices throughout the world, that: "We believe the bear market low points for the leading stock market averages have been reached, and we recommended investors purchase a wide-ranging list of good-quality common stocks. The major economic and political risks, though reduced, have not disappeared, and emphasis on quality remains important."

Since then the New York Stock Exchange has experienced perhaps the sharpest rally in its history, marked by record-high trading turnovers. In three individual sessions, over one hundred million shares were traded.

In Israel, Shearson has joined with the Clal Company to form Shearson-Clal, which offers full brokerage services to local nationals and foreign residents, including access to all major U.S. stock and commodity exchanges. The firm's clients are manufacturers who through the use of commodity futures are able to buy raw material at pre-determined prices, thus reducing much of the uncertainty in the costing of their finished product.

"With the revival of activity on the New York Stock Exchange, Israelis have returned to the market place. Interest in American investment and in actual trading activity is sharply on the upswing," says Robert Israel, Shearson-Clal's general manager.

Part of the interest in American securities can be traced to the recent changes in U.S. tax laws related to inflation. "According to the new law, investors in American securities are no longer discriminated against," Israel says.

Investment in securities of Israeli companies whose shares are registered on American stock exchanges, has also been on the upswing. Investment in Israeli industrial shares is free of capital gains tax and serves as an added incentive for investors and speculators alike.

"We have seen instances of Israelis buying sizeable amounts of stock in U.S. companies. Such was the case recently when blocks of Lowenstein Company shares were purchased on the New York Stock Exchange and from Israel," says Israel. He further uses the example of Piryon Investment Company, which purchased shares of United Merchants and Manufacturers and now has more than 20 per cent control of that company's outstanding share capital.

Shearson-Clal's business is almost equally divided between the handling of share transactions and commodities.

The word "commodity" is a misnomer, because we handle mostly financial transactions involving currency futures and interest rate transactions. Israelis are much more interested and knowledgeable about currency movements than about the price of pork bellies and cotton futures, the manager said.

The firm's Harvey Schneider has introduced to Israel the concept of hedging the cost of interest rate exposure. He has also achieved a good reputation in predicting currency trends. "Do you find Israelis more speculative-minded than other investors?" *The Post* asked William Rostoker, one of Shearson-Clal's investment advisers. His reply was: "Israelis definitely have a speculative streak which is probably due to the high degree of volatility that characterizes the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange."

While no figures are published, it is understood that Shearson-Clal is the largest American broker representative in Israel. Located in the Clal House Building here, the firm recently opened a second office in Jerusalem.

Haig rejoins U.S. firm

HARTFORD, Conn. (Reuter). — Former secretary of state Alexander Haig will become chairman of an international advisory committee for the United Technologies Corporation, the company said yesterday.

Haig served as the company's president and chief operating officer after his retirement from the army in 1979 and before he joined the Reagan administration. He resigned as secretary of state in June.

Champion Motors sales manager Eitan Katz wears a big smile as he drives the special VW Jetta off the Wolfsburg production line to the applause of some of his salesmen and VW managers.

The 75,000th VW/Audi car for Israel

By YITZHAK OKED
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The 75,000th Volkswagen/Audi car destined for Israel recently rolled off the production line in Germany.

A group of salesmen of Champion Motors, the local distributor of Volkswagen/Audi, during a recent visit to the Volkswagen works in Wolfsburg, were surprised to see a Jetta model roll off the line bedecked with flowers and carrying a sign "The 75,000th Volkswagen/Audi for Israel."

The group had gone to Germany on an industry study tour. It was given this surprise treat by the Germans, who on checking their books discovered that on the day the Israelis planned to visit the plant, the 75,000th car manufactured for Israel would be rolling off the line.

The Israelis tried to persuade the VW management to lower the price of its automobiles. The answer was that this could be done only at the expense of quality. "Since we are confident that our customers prefer to pay slightly more for quality, we will continue the present price policy," the managers said.

Buyers crowd Jerusalem Housing Fair

By AARON SITTNER
Jerusalem Post Reporter

Hundreds of prospective home buyers have been crowding into Pincus Hall at Jerusalem's Binyenei Ha'uma since Monday, visiting some of all of the sales pavilions at the annual Housing Fair.

Sponsored by the Israel Building Centre, an affiliate of the Ministry of Housing and Construction, this year's event features housing units by 15 large contractors active in Jerusalem and its environs.

Miriam Lerner, the Building Centre's executive secretary, told *The Jerusalem Post*: "There is lots of lively interest this year, and we may top last year's record of 130 sales during the four-day fair. Next month we will be staging a similar event in Tel Aviv, for people interested in new homes in the Dan area."

At Binyenei Ha'uma, the units offered range from IS6.5 million for a two-room flat in Gilo to $200,000 for a villa in Mevasseret Zion. Almost all of the salespeople at Binyenei Ha'uma are forthcoming with substantial price reductions, Lerner said. In most cases this means the contractors are prepared to absorb the last price increase forced upon them by the surge in the Central Bureau of Statistics' Housing input index, which gauges contractors' construction costs.

The Building Centre, a state corporation, offers free counsel at its offices in Tel Aviv to any family about to purchase a newly built housing unit. Anyone with a set of plans may visit the centre and consult with a team of legal experts, construction engineers and interior designers at no cost. The service is available on Tuesdays at the centre's headquarters at 40 Rehov Ha'universita.

CHOLERA. — As an anti-cholera measure, the Health Ministry, the Jerusalem municipality and the police are to destroy vegetables grown in Nahal Kidron, near Jerusalem. The vegetables, according to the Health Ministry, are irrigated with sewage water.

Jerusalem Institute for management teaches:

How to survive in Israel's turbulent business climate

By MACABEE DEAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Managers in Israel face "the most turbulent business environment in the world," Prof. Ya'ir Aharoni, director of the Jerusalem Institute for Management, said yesterday at a press conference here.

The institute, which restricts its courses and seminars to the 2,000 top echelon managers in the country, stresses how to survive this turbulence by adjusting to rapidly changing conditions without losing sight of long-range strategic plans. Established in Jerusalem seven years ago, the institute moved to Tel Aviv a year ago after it was found that the founders, which included professors of the famed Harvard Business School, had erred in locating it in Jerusalem in the first place. "However," Prof. Aharoni noted, "the original decision was made before I joined the staff."

Analyzing the reasons for this "turbulence" in the administrative world, Aharoni noted that one of the main causes was the uncertain political and security climate, where changes may be both sudden and far-reaching. Another cause was the fact that the government made many decisions which affected the entire economy, thus making the business community dependent on its policies. Many enterprises, especially small industries, were dependent on selling one of their chief products abroad, and the loss of a market, due to any reason, could have far-reaching effects.

Finally, he said, management by and large did not know how to delegate authority. It often ran a business on the basis of "on-the-spot" decisions, but frequently failed to draw up long-range strategic plans and goals.

Despite all this, Aharoni thinks that some of the "Israeli business turbulence" could be reduced. For example, if in the U.S. the fight by women for equal opportunities was a well-accepted fact, Israelis should realize that this same fight would soon hit their shores. Thus, steps could be taken now to grant women equal opportunities (in those places where they don't have them already), without too much argument and hardship.

Since Israel was subject to frequent national emergencies, it was possible to plan how to best use manpower remaining in a plant after 30 per cent of the men were mobilized.

"The Peace for Galilee campaign caused less turmoil in industry than any previous war. This shows that we are learning the lessons of continuing to work during a national emergency."

It was also possible to take out "insurance" of a type other than that designed to recover damage already suffered. For example, if a shortage was expected, it was possible to stock-pile raw materials in advance.

"We can plan today how increased automation will effect our manpower situation; we can even think ahead to diversify our product line, since one line might go out of fashion."

Asked how Israeli managers compared with those in the West, Aharoni said: "They are more intelligent, willing to learn, but not anxious to listen to advice. They are unwilling to delegate authority.

"Their main characteristic is that they seem to like to solve problems. Sometimes they are not happy unless a problem exists; they actually feel lost."

Prof. Aharoni pinpointed one characteristic of the Israeli situation which, if it did exist abroad, is known only on a much smaller scale. This was simply the managerial attitude that "the government must solve our problems." If the value of European currencies fell, no industrialist thought he was to blame for not foreseeing this difficulty; rather, he simply asked for government help. "And government help leads to dependence on the government," the professor said.

Of the country's top 2,000 managers, about 500 have already participated in seminars or work shops. Many have participated more than once.

Each day's participation costs about $100. Quite often the institute is asked to suggest solutions for specific undertakings; often a manager would come to the course and present "his problem," and the students — the other managers — would try to solve it for him.

Each course is limited to 25 persons.

Peace Now

Don't Kill the Chance for Peace!

The Begin government chose war as the way to solve the Palestinian problem. It has learned that this problem has not vanished but has become even more critical. The government has now dismissed offhand suggestions for discussions which include elements important to Israel's interests and elements accepted by the majority of the Israeli public.

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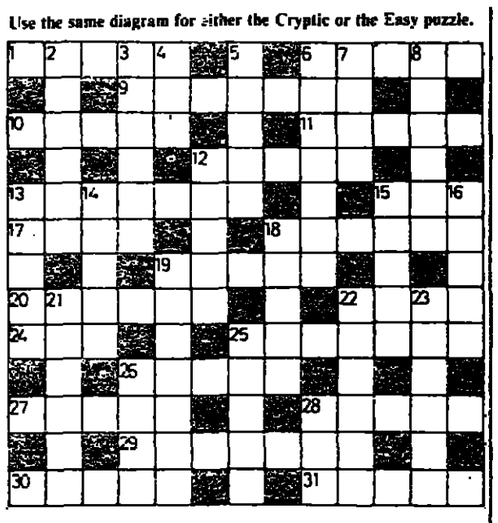
Use the same diagram for either the Cryptic or the Easy puzzle.



CRYPTIC PUZZLE

ACROSS

1 Box a bit (5)
6 A spread in the garden (5)
9 Supervisory golfer? (7)
10 Divided the number remaining (5)
11 Quick to bite? (5)
12 He's no beauty (5)
13 Worker seeking favour? (7)
15 Mistress to many a man? (3)
17 One free word (4)
18 One side of Nottingham (6)
19 Sort of service I rant about (5)
20 All but first choice (6)
22 Could you live on one? (4)
24 It denies being over a ton (3)
25 Island stone (7)
26 Measures vital to swimmers (5)
27 Long water trough! (6)
28 No longer a craze, man (5)
29 Small hare (or bar?)(7)
30 A fool where cards are concerned (5)
31 Black lie! (5)

DOWN

2 Is silver that of your money? (6)
3 Furnish if you can find the money (6)
4 Dope container (3)
5 No, finally (5)
6 House with no mains (7)
7 You knit one soundly (4)
8 Cavortings of pacers? (6)
12 Tolerates big-headed listeners (5)
13 Bird to cover over (5)
14 Legitimate punch (5)
15 Sorceress (a Mede?) (5)
16 Where to sit and bear it (5)
18 Businessmen writing on wood! (5)
19 Does it *follow* the film? (7)
21 Otto's wrong about ma being fruity (6)
22 Inspiration on test? (6)
23 Man or two! (6)
25 She gives Len some help (5)
26 She blows! (4)
28 Not a lot of cafe workers (3)

EASY PUZZLE

ACROSS

1 Thong (5)
6 Separated (5)
9 Eye cosmetic (7)
10 Plump (5)
11 Burn slightly (5)
12 Walker (5)
13 Cut off (7)
15 For each (3)
17 Poems (4)
18 Leave empty (6)
19 Help (5)
20 Prickly (6)
22 Gala (4)
24 Low, buzzing sound (3)
25 Fortress (7)
26 Spectacle (5)
27 Compel (5)
28 Humiliation (5)
29 Junior diplomat (7)
30 Sarcasm (5)
31 Eat away (5)

DOWN

2 Travelled round (6)
3 Strolls (6)
4 Wages (3)
5 Pungent (5)
6 Weapon store (7)
7 Couple (4)
8 Sorrow (6)
12 Weighty (5)
13 Compass point (5)
14 Poison (5)
15 Lost colour (5)
16 Jollification (5)
18 Go to see (5)
19 Worry (7)
21 Comic quality (6)
22 Relative (6)
23 Abounded (6)
25 Trickster (5)
26 Scrutinise (4)
28 Personal pronoun (3)

Yesterday's Easy Solution

ACROSS.—1, Castle. 7, Antidote. 8, Eros. 10, Revolt. 11, Flange. 14, Eve. 16, Anger. 17, Sons. 19, Tepid. 21, Ailed. 22, Oscar. 23, Chew. 26, Seals. 28, The. 29, Prides. 30, Pealed. 31, Earl. 32, Reeling. 33, Sashes.

DOWN.—1, Charms. 2, Throws. 3, East. 4, Mislaid. 5, Going. 6, Sever. 8, Even. 9, Ole. 12, And. 13, Geese. 15, Relay. 18, Order. 19, Tie. 20, Per. 21, Assents. 22, Old. 23, Charts. 24, Hel. 25, Widows. 26, Spark. 27, Atch. 28, Teu. 30, Pegs.

Yesterday's Cryptic Solution

ACROSS.—1, Je-St-er. 7, Outhouse. 8, V-is-a. 10, Keeper. 11, Sphere. 14, R-ot. 16, Poser. 17, Toad (towed). 19, Va-let. 21, Pi-p-er. 22, Tamps. 23, C-ash. 26, Du-vet. 28, Par. 29, Apiary. 30, Cornet. 31, Otto. 32, S-Ch-ooner. 33, Airman.

DOWN.—1, Junket. 2, Tripod. 3, R-oar. 4, Chopper. 5, L-ures. 6, Never. 8, Vera. 9, Set. 12, Hot (dog). 13, Remus. 15, Happy. 18, One up. 19, VI-M. 20, Les. 21, Pa-trio-t. 22, Tea. 23, Carter. 24, Arno. 25, Hatton (Garden). 26, Da-is-y. 27, Vichy. 28, Pot. 30, C-O-ra.

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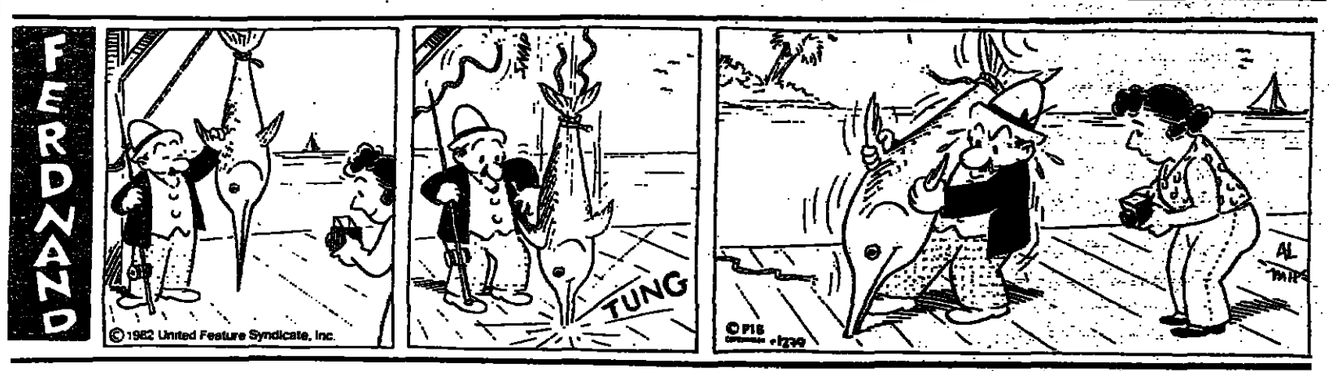

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Money Matters

Wankel rotary engine plant in Carmiel in new hands

TEL AVIV. — The sale of the Wankel engine factory in Carmiel to a group of Israeli and foreign investors was authorized by the District Court here several days ago. Heading the Israeli group is a United Mizrahi Bank company; the Mishav Housing, Construction and Development Co.

The firm was founded 45 years ago with the primary aim of putting up housing for the country's religious sector. Under the energetic guidance of Yitzhak Jaeger, Mishav has expanded its activities since 1969 into the areas of contracting, industry and finance. Among its subsidiaries are Mishav-Tanne (in conjunction with Bank Tefahot), Mishav Diyur Me'uleh (in conjunction with Mizrahi Bank's investment company), Bank Adanim (in cooperation with United Mizrahi Bank) and Damet (in conjunction with Koor).

More recently Mishav decided on expanding its investments in science-based industries and as a first choice hit upon the Wankel rotary engine plant in Carmiel.

Heading the foreign investors' group is the American Wellbuilt Electronic Day Corporation, which manufactures airplane and tank parts, engines and armour plate.

Also competing for the purchase of the Wankel plant was Tadiran.

The Mishav-Wellbuilt group is firmly set on producing Wankel industrial engines, for which the firm had been set up in the first place, and on the development of which an engineering team has been working for ten years. Approximately $6 million have gone into research and development in this sphere.

There are only two Wankel engine plants in the world today: Toyo-Koyo in Japan, manufacturing cars powered by Wankel engines, and the Carmiel factory producing Wankel industrial engines.

Of late rotary engines have been experimented with by giant U.S. and European concerns and have come out with flying colours. There are good prospects that in the not too distant future the Carmiel enterprise will be able to market engines by the thousands, making a major contribution to Israel's exports.

Gold rises briefly above $500 level

LONDON (Reuter). — The price of gold touched $500 an ounce yesterday, its highest level in over a year, as investors continued to switch from holdings vulnerable to a world banking collapse.

But the metal fell back to be fixed at $488.50 an ounce in London, its highest fixing since May, 1981, after rising briefly above the psychological $500 level in Zurich and earlier in Hongkong.

The silver price followed gold, reaching its highest level this year. It was quoted at $9.70 an ounce, up nearly 40 cents from Monday's close.

Analysts said yesterday's surge in the gold price started in Hongkong when the Hang Lung Bank experienced a run on its reserves following rumours, which the bank denied, of its involvement in a bullion trading company which closed on Monday.

Annual sale of Avis rental cars

TEL AVIV. — The Avis rental company this week starts its annual sale of used cars, which included 500 automobiles, all of them 1981 models. Buyers can inspect the cars at the parking lot of the Avis central garage near Ben-Gurion Airport and at the Avis office in Haifa.

The cars are Fiat 127, Autobianci, Peugeot 104 and 504, Subaru 1,300, and 1,600 automatic, and Ford Fiesta.

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Shares swinging higher

Tel Aviv Stock Exchange

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN

TEL AVIV. — High-swinging shares, those issues which advanced by five per cent or more, yesterday powered the market to a solid advance. No fewer than 71 securities were able to post sharp advances, while losers amounted to no more than 18 issues. Trading activity however, was still in low gear, compared with last week's turnovers, which were in the IS700m. range.

The index-linked bond market, in the wake of recent advances, came to a near standstill. The lack of interest was reflected in the very low turnover of IS86m.

The shekel continued to be weak as it was devalued by 24 agorot vis-a-vis the dollar.

Maritime Bank 0.5 was the best performer in a slowly advancing commercial bank group. The shares were 5.8% higher.

Phoenix was a winner in the upward moving insurance group. The 1.0 shares were up by 5% while the 5.0 shares zipped ahead by nearly 10%. Zion 1.0 was 7.4% winner.

Solel Boneh continued to star among real estate and land development equities. The shares of the country's largest building company were ahead by 9.4%. In the past week they advanced by a total of some 35%. The Rassco shares were 5% winners.

Alkol picked up a 10%, while Argaman (r) fell by the same amount among industrials. Ata C. continued in good form and was up by nearly 6%. Tempo Beer continued strong and posted a 10.1% advance. Zion Cable 1.0 was nearly 10% improved. Assis was a full 10% ahead. Taya, in the wake of a 13-fold oversubscription of its new issue, was down by 9.2%.

Landeco, with a 9.9% gain, was the best mover among investment company issues.

	Closing price	Change	% change	Volumes IS1,000
Commercial Banks & Bankholding				
IDB prf	34000	—1500	—4.2	2.6
IDB r	2933	+25	+.9	436.5
IDB B r	2933	+25	+.9	—
IDB prf A	8700	n.c.	—	1.5
IDB op 7	7380	n.c.	—	6.5
IDB op 9	—	—	—	—
IDB op 10	4370	n.c.	—	13.5
Union r	1900	+5	+.3	168.2
Union op 4 r	3500	+80	+2.3	1.1
Union op 7	2380	n.c.	—	3.3
Discount r	3547	+35	+1.0	31.4
Discount A r	3547	+35	+1.0	17.0
Discount op 1	4750	+50	+1.1	9.7
Discount B	206	n.c.	—	25.7
Mizrahi r	1277	+7	+.6	1394.4
Mizrahi b	1277	+7	+.6	57.9
Mizrahi op 3	8600	+100	+1.2	4.2
Mizrahi op 10	2165	+40	+1.9	19.2
Mizrahi sc 6 r	4135	n.c.	—	2.7
Mizrahi sc 7 r	3500	n.c.	—	.6
Mizrahi sc 9	219	n.c.	—	202.2
Maritime 0.1 r	2990	+25	+.8	232.8
Maritime 0.5 r	1798	+98	+5.6	413.2
Maritime op 1	2163	+110	+5.4	255.4
Hapoalim prf b	3507	+200	+6.0	1.9
Hapoalim r	2432	+7	+.3	290.5
Hapoalim b	2432	+7	+.3	37.2
Hapoalim op 4 r	16655	+50	+.3	14.3
Hapoalim op 5 r	14350	n.c.	—	1.2
Hapoalim op 7 r	8145	+15	+.2	5.9
Hapoalim op 12	3590	+49	+1.4	29.8
Hapoalim sc 6 r	5400	n.c.	—	.8
Hapoalim sc 8 r	3647	+21	+.6	2.2
General A	4060	+20	.5	116.1
General op 6	7677	+5	+.1	2.2
General sc 4 r	4910	+60	+1.2	.4
General sc 5 r	1134	n.c.	—	2.6
Leumi	1806	+5	+.3	469.8
Leumi op 4 r	6865	+20	+.3	2.0
Leumi op 12	2570	n.c.	—	16.0
Leumi sc 9 r	876	n.c.	—	12.1
Leumi sc 11	239	n.c.	—	102.5
OHH r	2050	+10	+.5	2.4
OHH b	2020	n.c.	—	.8
Danot 1.0	1165	+25	+2.2	92.2
Danot 5.0	560	—1	—.2	302.7
Danot op 1	540	+8	+1.5	182.1
Danot op 2	224	—5	—2.2	106.3
FIBI sc 1 r	—	—	—	—
FBI r	1638	n.c.	—	1567.8
Mortgage Banks				
Adanim 0.1	1497	n.c.	—	85.0
Gen Mtge r	1145	—10	—.9	176.7
Gen Mtge b	1145	—10	—.9	4.0
Gen Mtge op 117	2445	—5	—.2	.4
Carmel r	1169	+64	+5.8	+80.8
Carmel b	—	—	—	—
Carmel op A	1519	—141	—8.5	1.2
Binyan r	810	n.c.	—	41.8
Dev & Mtge r	715	+10	+1.4	49.7
Dev & Mtge b	715	n.c.	—	4.0
Dev & Mtge op 95	1440	—60	—4.0	3.3
Mishkan r	1860	n.c.	—	35.9
Mishkan b	1860	—	—	—
Independence	[illegible]40	—293	—13.1	32.2
Tefahot prf r	5100	+400	+8.5	40.1
Tefahot prf b	3738	+178	b.o.1	—
Tefahot r	4746	+226	b.o.1	—
Tefahot b	4950	+450	+10.0	50.9
Tefahot op A	3941	+226	b.o.1	—
Tefahot deb 1	323	+15	b.o.1	—
Merav r	845	+45	+5.6	1110.7
Merav op	7550	n.c.	—	2.9
Financing Institutions				
Shilton r	351	+4	+1.2	150.5
Shilton b	—	—	—	—
Shilton op B	1210	n.c.	—	1.8
Shilton op 6	255	—15	—5.6	28.7
Shilton sc 1	404	—45	—10.0	17.1
Shilton sc 2	475	+22	+4.9	2.1
Otz. Lataasiya r	640	+10	+1.6	58.0
Otz. Lataasiya b	640	+5	+.8	1.0
Agriculture prf A	8000	+520	+7.0	19.0
Ind Dev prf r	8399	+319	+3.9	6.1
Clal lease 0.1 r	693	+48	+7.4	95.8
Clal Lease 0.5 r	462	+11	+2.4	94.7
Clal Lease op A	780	—36	—4.4	16.5
Clal Lease op B	363	n.c.	—	99.9
Clal Lease sc 1	193.0	—4.0	—2.0	137.5
Insurance				
Aryeh r	700	—20	—2.8	2
Aryeh op r	33000	+2000	+6.5	.5
Aryeh sc 1	1090	+60	+5.8	7.0
Ararat 0.1 r	2645	—74	—2.7	63.6
Ararat 0.5 r	1051	+50	+5.0	375.1
Reinsurance 0.1 r	1239	+59	b.o.1	—
Reinsurance 0.5 r	579	+22	+3.9	386.9
Reinsurance 1	400	+36	+9.9	111.0
Hadar 1.0	979	+4	+.4	119.8
Hadar 5.0	359	+27	+8.1	239.8
Hassneh r	1055	—50	—4.5	872.5
Hassneh b	1161	+46	+4.1	55.5
Hassneh op	3900	—150	—3.7	1.0
Phoenix 0.1 r	2100	+100	+5.0	70.7

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Phoenix 0.5 r	1205	+105	+9.5	16.0
Yardenia 0.1 r	2230	+40	+1.8	14.8
Yardenia 0.5 r	1000	+15	+1.5	45.1
Yardenia op 1	785	+56	+7.7	4.0
Sahar r	4200	n.c.	—	14.4
Sahar b	4192	n.c.	—	3.4
Securitas r	2060	n.c.	—	33.1
Zur r	749	—9	—1.2	68.4
Zur b	761	n.c.	—	2.0
Zur op 1	1210	—10	—.8	12.2
Zion Hold. 1.0	730	+50	+7.4	446.7
Zion Hold 5.0	337	+4	+1.2	239.0
Galei Zohar 1	420	+21	+5.3	346.1
Galei Zohar 5	274	—1	—.4	187.0
Galei Zohar op 1	268	n.c.	—	137.1
Commercial Services & Utilities				
Delek r	2200	n.c.	—	45.4
Delek b	2500	n.c.	—	1.8
Delek db 2	—	—	—	—
Harel 1	449	+24	+5.6	246.1
Harel 5	315	+25	+8.6	221.0
Harel op 1	820	+75	+0.1	89.0
Harel op 2	278	+25	b.o.1	—
Dan Hotels 1.0	509	n.c.	—	322.0
Dan Hotels 5.0	460	—10	—2.1	226.7
Cold Store 0.1 r	—	—	—	—
Cold Store 1.0 r	20765	+205	+1.0	20.5
Isr Electric r	4066	+220	+5.7	11.3
Lighterage 0.1	27235	+1297	b.o.1	—
Lighterage 0.5 r	31300	n.c.	—	23.2
Lighterage op	28409	—	—	—
Magor	1239	n.c.	—	16.6
Magor 0.5	675	—15	—2.2	72.2
Magor op 1	1090	—35	—3.1	51.8
Nikuv 1.0	799	+9	+1.1	229.5
Nikuv 5.0	525	—11	—2.1	202.3
Nikuv op 1	470	n.c.	—	33.7
Consort. Hold.	2080	—120	—5.5	19.1
Consort op	1980	—120	—5.7	12.8
Rapac 0.1 r	3138	+149	b.o.1	—
Rapac 0.5 r	1019	+72	+7.6	178.0
Rapac op 2	834	+45	+5.7	83.4
Supersol A	—	—	—	—
Supersol B	1055	+50	+5.0	251.0
Supersol op B	710	n.c.	—	31.6
Land Development Building, Citrus				
Oren 1	1093	+48	+4.6	246.6
Oren op 1	912	+52	b.o.1	—
Azorim r	960	+16	+1.7	270.5
Azorim op C	1820	n.c.	—	60.7
Azorim op D	870	n.c.	—	132.1
Azorim Inv.	411	+26	+6.8	401.6
Africa Isr 0.1 r	9161	+160	+1.8	6.2
Africa Isr 1.0 r	7380	n.c.	—	6.6
Africa op 2	7410	n.c.	—	7.5
Arledan 0.1	1950	+25	+1.3	162.5
Arledan 0.5	1178	+16	+1.4	362.8
Arledan op A	1632	+35	+2.2	139.0
Darad 1	533	n.c.	—	331.9
Darad 5	299	—1	—.3	258.0
Darad op 1	1880	—163	—8.0	18.1
ILDC r	2710	—35	—1.3	56.5
ILDC b	2780	—	—	—
ILDC op A r	2710	—35	—1.3	20.0
ILDC op B r	8958	—500	—5.3	.5
ILDC op 6	2210	+70	+3.3	10.8
ILDC db 4 r	5656	—629	—10.0	1.7
HLB Realty 0.1 r	965	+85	+9.7	257.0
HLB Realty 0.5 r	476	+24	+5.3	861.9
Solel Boneh prf A	59300	+5100	+9.4	7.6
Modul Beton	1500	n.c.	—	28.1
Prop & Bldg r	2950	n.c.	—	65.9
Prop & Bldg C	3950	n.c.	—	3.0
Bayside 0.1 r	2350	n.c.	—	21.3
Bayside 0.5 r	1395	—5	—.4	42.2
Bayside op B	1010	—110	—9.8	8.8
Ispro r	880	—323	—2.5	217.2
Ispro op 3	2820	—75	2.6	23.9
Isras r	630	+52	+9.0	558.9
Isras op 1	440	+40	+10.0	166.7
Cohen Dev.	681	+30	+4.6	312.3
Cohen Dev. op 1	541	+65	+13.7	281.8
M.T.M. 1	1260	+30	+2.4	24.3
M.T.M. 5	755	n.c.	—	66.7
M.T.M. op 1	630	n.c.	—	31.9
Mehadrin r	7450	+350	+4.9	10.3
ICP r	4309	+200	+4.9	2.9
Neot Aviv	5300	+300	+6.0	18.9
Pri Or r	2050	+70	+3.5	74.3
Pri Or op	1618	+198	+13.9	46.0
Caesarea 0.1	2015	n.c.	—	48.3
Caesarea 0.5	854	—6	—.7	57.8
Caesarea op 2	1508	n.c.	—	114.4
Caesarea op 3	574	—3	—.5	57.0
Rassco prf r	42000	+2000	+5.0	17.9
Rassco r	42000	+2000	+5.0	18.0
Industrials				
Urdan 0.1 r	3000	+67	+2.3	40.5
Urdan 0.5 r	2736	+2	+.1	51.0
Urdan op 2 r	3499	—140	—3.8	21.0
Elbit 3.0 r	8525	+400	+4.9	35.3
Alliance	7858	+374	b.o.2	—
Alaska Sport 1.0	825	+20	+2.5	65.6
Alaska Sport 5.0	550	—20	—3.5	46.3
Alaska Sport op 1	645	+25	+4.0	50.1
Elco 0.1	3035	n.c.	—	7.7
Elco 0.25 r	1340	+37	+2.8	194.5

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Elco 0.25 b	1314	n.c.	—	49.0
Elco op B	1145	n.c.	—	139.2
Elco db 1	2493	n.c.	—	6.2
Alkol	539	+49	+10.0	270.8
Alkol op 1	399	+32	+8.7	206.2
Electra 0.1 r	3550	+50	+1.4	18.7
Electra 0.5 r	1610	—45	—2.7	92.4
Electra op 3	1450	n.c.	—	38.4
Elron 3	12600	+405	+3.3	21.0
Argaman prf r	2793	—147	s.o.1	—
Argaman prf b	2520	n.c.	—	14.4
Argaman r	2574	—286	—10.0	18.5
Argaman b	2565	—135	s.o.1	—
Ata B 1.0	599	n.c.	—	409.4
Ata C 0.1	540	+30	+5.9	1,975.6
Tadir Beton 1.0	1094	+18	+1.7	88.6
Tadir Beton 5.0	568	—16	—2.7	113.8
Tadir Beton op 1	955	—40	—4.0	59.2
Goldfrost 1.0	707	n.c.	—	190.9
Goldfrost 5	371	—6	—1.6	185.0
Goldfrost op	—	—	—	—
Gal Ind 1	850	—10	—1.2	244.0
Gal Ind 5	462	n.c.	—	138.7
Gal Ind op	340	—14	—4.0	92.9
Dubek prf r	1730	+30	+1.8	16.8
Dubek prf b	1650	n.c.	—	42.2
Fertilizers r 0.1	1102	+52	b.o.1	—
Fertilizers 0.5	621	n.c.	—	94.9
Cables r	1550	—30	—1.9	21.4
Cables b	1650	+51	+3.2	12.9
Hatehof 1.0	855	+59	+7.4	158.3
Hatehof 5.0	570	+20	+3.6	92.8
Hatehof op 2	900	+50	+5.9	40.1
Vitalgo 1	436	+21	b.o.1	—
Vitalgo 5	289	+14	b.o.1	—
Zikit 1.0	617	+29	b.o.2	—
Zikit 5.0	392	+19	+5.1	147.9
Zikit op A	346	+23	+7.1	90.4
Haifa Chem R	1870	+30	+1.6	20.8
Teva r	1825	+26	+1.4	78.3
Teva b	1860	+60	+3.3	7.3
Teva op	25600	—1831	—6.7	.6
Teva op 2	4100	n.c.	—	4.3
Teva db 3	408	n.c.	—	87.6
Tempo 1.0	738	n.c.	—	433.6
Tempo 5.0	732	+67	+10.1	407.4
Tempo op 1	599	n.c.	—	259.3
Tempo op 2	637	+67	+11.8	237.0
Tromasbest 1.0	1700	+110	+6.9	100.9
Tromasbest 5.0	715	+10	+1.4	42.9
Tromasbest op 1	1061	n.c.	—	44.7
Yomar 1.0	932	+33	+3.7	68.3
Yomar 5.0	750	—1	—.1	9.7
Zion Cables 1.0	3020	+270	+9.8	20.2
Zion Cables 5.0	1400	+10	+.7	177.5
Zion Cables op 1	2500	+25	+1.0	12.1
Clal Ind. Electr.	1911	n.c.	—	65.7
Lodzia 0.1 r	2700	n.c.	—	5.4
Lodzia 0.4 r	900	n.c.	—	192.6
Modul Ind	450	+24	+5.6	341.8
Wolfman 1.0	894	+60	+7.2	72.1
Wolfman 5.0	600	+41	+7.3	90.4
Moleti B r	9217	+300	+3.4	16.6
Galil Ind 1.0	1668	n.c.	—	300.1
Galil Ind 3.0	1473	n.c.	—	344.5
Man 1.0	955	—35	—3.5	79.5
Man 5.0	524	+22	+4.4	75.5
Zika 1	808	+15	+1.9	26.7
Zika 5	492	+23	+4.9	69.6
Zika op 1	430	n.c.	—	60.5
Dead Sea r	2350	n.c.	—	34.3
AIPM r	2435	+140	+6.1	89.2
Maquette 0.1	1550	+6	+.4	20.4
Maquette 0.5	936	—30	—3.1	69.7
Maquette op A	799	n.c.	—	68.1
Assis	2997	+272	+10.0	73.4
Assis db 1	10059	n.c.	—	.3
Petrochem r	237	—5	—2.1	706.9
Nechushtan 0.1	880	+40	+4.8	52.4
Nechushtan 0.5	431	—20	—4.4	106.9
Nechushtan op 1	331	+2	+.6	132.6
Sano 1	901	n.c.	—	123.9
Sano 5	652	+17	+2.7	69.6
Elite r	3050	n.c.	—	32.9
Arad r	351	+11	+3.2	268.0
Arap op 1	270	n.c.	—	286.9
Polgat 0.1 r	7050	+430	+6.5	1.2
Polgat 0.4 r	2960	n.c.	—	16.5
Polygon r	1635	n.c.	—	26.5
Pecker Steel	920	+15	+1.7	83.2
Pecker Steel op A	1145	+80	+7.5	13.3
Cyclone 1	—	—	—	—
Cyclone 5	430	—20	—4.4	127.7
Cyclone op	305	—15	—4.7	150.3
King 1	580	+26	+4.7	156.9
King 5	326	n.c.	—	136.6
King op 1	290	+7	+2.5	97.5
Klil 1.0	850	—6	—.7	7.7
Klil 5.0	572	n.c.	—	10.4
Rim 0.1 r	655	+20	+3.1	78.3
Rim 0.4 r	472	+32	+7.3	163.4
Schoellerina	2700	n.c.	—	198.2
Schoellerina op A	3450	+100	+3.0	1.5
Shemen prf r	3850	—142	—3.6	7.7
T.A.T. 1.0	1120	+53	b.o.1	—
T.A.T. 5.0	—	—	—	—
T.A.T. op 1	—	—	—	—

	Closing price	Change	% change	Volumes IS1,000
Taya	472	—48	—9.2	354.1
Taya op 1	1075	+25	+2.4	15.5
Taal B r	3265	+115	3.7	61.7
Taal B b	—	—	—	—
Frutarom R	710	—18	—2.5	59.5
Lachish 1	888	+17	+2.0	65.7
Lachish 5	630	—1	—.2	39.3
Lachish op	463	n.c.	—	47.6
Taro Pharm.	—	—	—	—
Investment & Holding Companies				
Unico r	1825	—28	—1.5	37.3
Unico b	1830	—40	—2.1	8.4
IDB devel. r	2252	+6	+.3	38.4
IDB devel. op 1	2050	n.c.	—	2.6
Incoba	3351	n.c.	—	50.2
Elgar r	2989	+99	+3.4	8.3
Elgar b	2970	+120	+4.2	5.9
Ellern r	1679	+14	+.8	43.8
Ellern b	1700	n.c.	—	44.9
Amissar pref	4520	+120	+2.7	30.5
Amissar no div	—	—	—	—
Amissar opt	—	—	—	—
Afik 1.0	1035	+15	+1.5	93.4
Afik 5.0	790	—40	—4.8	90.9
Central Trade	4030	+300	+8.0	26.9
Inv Paz r	4050	—300	—6.9	17.3
Inv Paz b	4370	n.c.	—	2.2
Wolfson 0.1	24000	—90	—.4	.2
Wolfson 1.0 r	6339	n.c.	—	12.0
Wolfson 1.0 b	6500	+130	+2.0	7.1
Ampa r	2406	+25	+1.0	39.5
Disc Inv r	1950	—35	—1.8	269.2
Disc Inv b	1950	—35	—1.8	33.2
Disc Inv opt C	—	—	—	—
Disc Inv opt D	3100	—70	—2.2	.8
Discount op. E	1327	+17	+1.3	24.5
Disc Inv deb 135	—	—	—	—
Hapoalim Inv r	2800	+120	+4.5	6.0
Hapoalim Inv b	2730	n.c.	—	2.2
Leumi Inv	1195	—20	—1.6	348.6
Jordan Explo A r	1250	+31	+2.5	120.5
Jordan Explo opt	50700	—52	—.1	.7
Jordan Explo opt 2	21226	n.c.	—	2.0
Mizrahi Inv r	6300	+150	+2.4	9.5
Mizrahi Inv b	6140	+80	+1.3	5.1
Mizrahi Inv deb 122	133.0	+4.0	+2.2	15.6
Mizrahi deb 124	207	+4	+2.0	4.2
Clal Trade	840	+10	+1.2	173.2
Clal Trade op B	2455	+220	+9.8	27.7
Clal Trade op C	649	+29	+4.7	375.6
Export Inv r	11900	+240	+2.1	8.9
Export Inv b	11800	+600	+5.4	4.7
Koor prf	86000	+2000	+2.4	1.0
Clal Re r	335	+5	+1.5	142.1
Clal Re opt C	825	+35	+4.4	59.9
Clal op D	267	n.c.	—	149.9
Clal rights	—	—	—	—
Clal Israel	1918	n.c.	—	105.4
Clal Inds	1745	—25	—1.4	421.2
Clal Inds opt B	3038	+100	+3.4	15.2
Landeco 0.1	885	+80	+9.9	240.7
Landeco 0.5	559	+24	+4.5	521.6
Sahar Hold 1.0	930	n.c.	—	83.0
Sahar Hold 5.0	616	—32	—4.9	83.7
Sahar Hold opt 1	449	n.c.	—	503.2
Oz Inv B 0.1	2970	—60	—2.0	87.0
Oz Inv B 0.5	920	n.c.	—	102.5
Oz Inv op 1	2850	n.c.	—	67.1
Oz Inv op 2	842	—46	s.o.1	—
Pama	1328	—15	—1.1	272.6
Pama 0.5	1192	+20	+1.7	185.8
Piryon	875	+10	+1.2	824.9
Fuel & Exploration				
Oil Explo Paz	1420	—5	—.4	59.0
Oil Explo op. 2	1290	—100	—7.2	94.2
Fedoil r	3404	+150	+4.6	51.7
N. American Oil 1	364	—5	—1.3	111.9
N. American Oil 5	275	n.c.	—	140.2
N. Amer. Oil op	249	+3	+1.2	252.5
Naphta r	18400	—1500	—7.5	1.9
New Listings				
Teta 1	563	+19	+3.5	216.8
Teta 5	380	+31	+8.9	277.4
Teta op	330	+15	+4.8	846.0
Pollak 5	589	n.c.	—	406.3
Pollak 1	893	n.c.	—	293.5
Pollak op	482	+45	+10.3	1,814.0
Isralom	552	—4	—	776.4
Delek Explo 1	330	+30	+8.3	323.2
Delek Explo 5	292	+12	+4.3	888.9
Menora 1	860	+41	b.o.3	—
Menora 5	915	+5	+.5	264.3
Zur op 2	575	+30	+5.5	34.5

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Ata C	540	1975.6	+30
FIBI	1638	1567.8	n.c.
Mizrahi R	1277	1394.6	+7
Shares traded		IS528.m.	
Convertibles		IS2.5m.	

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Yesterday's foreign exchange rates against the Israel Shekel, for U.S. dollar transactions under $3,000 and transactions of other currencies under the equivalent of $500.

	Selling	Buying
US$	28.9124	28.6275
DM	11.7125	11.5971
Swiss FR	13.7760	13.6402
Sterling	50.0907	49.5971
French FR	4.1565	4.1155
Dutch G	10.7024	10.5968
Austrian SH (10)	16.6690	16.5047
Swedish KR	4.6966	4.6503
Danish KR	3.3405	3.3076
Norwegian KR	4.2285	4.1868
Finnish MK	6.0868	6.0268
Canadian $	23.3306	23.1006
Rand	25.2839	25.0347
Australian $	27.9886	27.7128
Belgian Con (10)	6.0990	6.0389
Belgian Fin (10)	5.8822	5.8044
Yen (100)	11.2543	11.1434
Italian Lire (1000)	20.7779	20.5731

GOLD: $495.00/500.00/oz.

INTERBANK LONDON SPOT RATES:

US$	1.7330/340	per £
DM	2.4665/75	per $
Swiss FR	2.0975/90	per $
French FR	6.9560/10	per $
Italian Lire	1390.40/90	per $
Dutch G	2.7000/15	per $
Norwegian KR	6.8365/85	per $
Danish KR	8.6540/60	per $
Yen	257.00/15	per $
Swedish KR	6.1550/70	per $

FORWARD RATES:

	1 mon.	3 mos.	6 mos.
$/£	1.7330/346	1.7363/380	1.7463/480
DM/$	2.4591/601	2.4447/461	2.4177/195
Sw.FR/$	2.0822/846	2.0875/598	2.0200/230

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"EURO PAZ", 1 UNIT	115.0057	116.1615
S.D.R.	31.1453	31.4583

FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE RATES FOR 7.9.82

COUNTRY	CURRENCY		CHEQUES AND TRANSACTIONS PURCHASE	CHEQUES AND TRANSACTIONS SALE	BANKNOTES PURCHASE	BANKNOTES SALE
U.S.A.	DOLLAR	1	28.6282	28.9139	28.4800	29.3500
GREAT BRITAIN	STERLING	1	49.5719	50.0702	49.0800	50.5700
GERMANY	MARK	1	11.5881	11.7046	11.4700	11.8200
FRANCE	FRANC	1	4.1094	4.1507	3.9300	4.1900
HOLLAND	GULDEN	1	10.6022	10.7088	10.5000	10.8100
SWITZERLAND	FRANC	1	13.6315	13.7685	13.5000	13.9000
SWEDEN	KRONA	1	4.6501	4.6968	4.5400	4.7400
NORWAY	KRONE	1	4.1841	4.2262	4.0900	4.2700
DENMARK	KRONE	1	3.3044	3.3376	3.2300	3.3700
FINLAND	MARK	1	6.0278	6.0884	5.8900	6.1500
CANADA	DOLLAR	1	23.1005	23.3327	22.6900	23.5600
AUSTRALIA	DOLLAR	1	27.7090	27.9875	26.4400	28.5200
SOUTH AFRICA	RAND	1	25.0141	25.2655	19.6400	26.5900
BELGIUM	FRANC	10	6.0405	6.1012	—	—
AUSTRIA	SCHILLING	10	16.4897	16.6554	16.3200	16.8200
ITALY	LIRE	1000	20.5943	20.8013	19.4700	21.0100
JAPAN	YEN	1000	111.6031	112.7247	110.4900	113.8400

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	IS		
U.S. dollar	28.7700	Finnish mark	6.0568
British sterling	49.8541	Canadian dollar	23.2160
German mark	11.6525	Australian dollar	27.8537
French franc	4.1321	South African rand	25.1550
Dutch guilder	10.6477	Belgian franc (10)	6.0683
Swiss franc	13.7101	Austrian schilling (10)	16.5645
Swedish krona	4.6727	Italian lire (100)	2.0672
Norwegian krone	4.2040	Japanese yen (100)	11.1967
Danish krone	3.3198	Jordanian dinar	79.12
		Lebanese lira	5.87

Tel Aviv selected bond prices

100% Linked	Price	Change
3602	489.6	n.c.
3604	417.7	n.c.
3606	359.7	n.c.
4% Gov't develop.		
Group 1. Yield:	—0.60	
3001	8736.0	+63.0
3007	7999.0	+61.0
Group 7. Yield:	+0.20	
3020	6007.0	n.c.
3025	5844.0	n.c.
Defence loan 69.		
210 (Reish Yod)	—	—
4% Gov't (90% C-o-L)	—	—
Group 22. Yield:	+1.22	
3101	4532.0	n.c.
3106	3987.0	n.c.
Group 24. Yield:	+0.96	
3110	3723.0	n.c.
3115	3604.0	n.c.
4% Gov't (80% C-o-L)		
Group 42. Yield:	+0.87	
3210	3000.0	+12.0
3206	2845.0	+13.0
6% Gov't (80% C-o-L)		
Group 52. Yield:	+0.95	
3501	2598.0	+1.0
3504	2276.0	+1.0

7% Gov't (80% C-o-L)	Price	Change
Group 62. Yield:	+0.08	
3522	2270.0	n.c.
3526	2112.0	n.c.
Group 66. Yield:	+0.34	
3534	1787.0	n.c.
3541	1686.0	n.c.
Group 68. Yield:	+0.52	
3546	1551.0	+7.0
3551	1468.0	+7.0
Group 70. Yield:	+0.54	
3554	1349.0	n.c.
3557	1287.0	n.c.
Gov't dble-optn linked		
2001	2061.0	+1.0
2015	1760.0	n.c.
2033	1290.0	n.c.
Dollar denom bonds		
Hollis 15	99.4	+2.9
Hollis 20	91.8	+1.8
Bonds 10% linked to foreign currency		
5.5% Gov't 6026	—	—
6% Isr. Electric Corp.	—	—
Bonds 7% linked to foreign currency		
6003	1554.0	+25.0

New York Stock Exchange

NEW YORK. — The stock market closed sharply lower yesterday due to profit-taking and concern about the international economic outlook.

The Dow Jones Industrial Average ended at about 914, down almost 11 points. This was its worst level of the day and the biggest drop since August 24, when the Dow was off 16.27.

Volume totalled about 70 million shares, down from 130,910,000 shares on Friday. Almost 1,000 stocks closed lower, while about 580 rose.

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D.J. Avg.	914.27	—10.85
Transport	365.33	—4.34
Utilities	116.60	—0.69
Volume	68,960,000	

D.J. LIST		
Alcoa	29	n.c.
Allied Chem.	34⅞	+⅜
Amer Brand	43⅞	—⅜
Amer Can	31½	+⅝
Amer Exp	47¼	—⅞
Amer T & T	56	—½
Beth Steel	17¾	—⅝
Chrysler	8¼	—⅜
Du Pont	36½	+½
East Kodak	84¾	—¾
Esmark	47	n.c.
Exxon	28⅞	n.c.
Gen Elect.	76⅝	—1¼
Gen Food	39¾	—⅜
Gen Motors	48	—1⅛
Goodyear	25⅞	—¾
Intl Bus	72¾	+¼
Intl Harv.	4⅞	+⅛
Intl Paper	43½	—½
Intl Nickel	10¼	—⅜
Owens	25¾	n.c.
Procter Gam.	95¾	—2
Sears	22⅛	—⅞
Std Oil Ca.	30⅛	—⅛
Texaco	29¾	n.c.
Union Carb.	50½	—¼
United Tech.	47⅝	—2⅞
US Steel	19⅝	—⅛
Westinghouse	32¾	—1⅛
Woolworth	19¼	—¼
Cold Fix	431.00	+26.00
Asa Ltd.	45½	+⅞
Homestake M.	36¾	—½
ISRAEL SHARES IN NY		
Amer Is Paper	5	+⅛
Alliance	7⅝	n.c.
Interpharm	3¼	3⅜
Etz Lavud	13⅜	+⅜
Elscint	25	25¼
Elron Pfd.	13⅜	13¼
IDB Ord.	1⅝	2
IDB Pfd.	22¾	23¼
Laser Ind.	7⅛	—⅜
Scitex	15	15½
Teva	7¼	8¼

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The knot rewinds

THE CHOICE before the government-to-be, under President Bashir Jemayel in Lebanon, is to sign a peace treaty with Israel, in which case the country would become a single territorial unit again — or else to have a 40-45 km belt of Southern Lebanon set apart as an Israel security zone. This now appears to be the government's view, stated by Ariel Sharon in an address at Kiryat Shmona on Monday night.

Mr. Sharon was not articulating a settled government policy: the cabinet has yet to take up the issue of Israel's future relations with Lebanon. But there is little question that the defence minister was speaking with the full authority of Prime Minister Begin, which would seem to be authoritative enough.

Only last week Mr. Begin is reported to have privately rapped Mr. Jemayel on the knuckles for his lack of resolute intention, publicly expressed, to conclude an early peace with Israel, preferably this year. Mr. Jemayel's reluctance to make a show of rushing into peace had been explained by the need to secure a national Lebanese consensus in the matter, and by the fear of retaliation by the Arab League, and especially by the oil-rich Arab countries.

Now Mr. Sharon has acted to remind Mr. Jemayel that Israel has powerful leverage over him. For Israel would not be satisfied with security arrangements that fall short of outright peace, and unless peace is made very soon Israel would bar the restoration of Lebanon's territorial integrity. The mooted security zone in the south would have, as Mr. Sharon put it, "a different status" from that of the rest of Lebanon. It would not be subordinate to the government in Beirut.

The specific manner of Israel's control over the security zone was not spelled out by Mr. Sharon at Kiryat Shmona. But since the return of any multi-national force, even as a toughened-up version of UNIFIL, has already been ruled out, there are really only two options: either the IDF will remain in Southern Lebanon, for as long as is deemed necessary, or effective rule over the area will be handed to Major Sa'ad Haddad's Israel-sponsored militia.

Either way the security zone would, to all intents and purposes, be Israel occupied territory.

Now it is obvious enough that Israel is entitled to full security for its citizens on the northern border. It is also plain enough that the threat from the north has not entirely disappeared with the successful winding up of the Lebanese campaign. The kidnapping of eight IDF soldiers last Saturday is one warning signal.

Thousands of PLO terrorists are still lurking in the Bekaa Valley and in Tripoli, north of Beirut, and they have not given up the hope of resuming the fight. Yasser Arafat's right-hand man, Abu Iyyad, has now taken up headquarters in Tripoli announcing that it is only a question of time before the terrorists return to West Beirut. And then, of course, there are the Syrians.

There is no reason to expect Israel to pull back its army so long as the PLO and the Syrians are encamped on Lebanon's soil. But the meaning of Mr. Sharon's statement is that Israel will stay put even after those other foreign forces have moved out, and will not disentangle itself from direct military concern with Lebanon's affairs until such time as a fully-fledged peace treaty has been concluded. This could involve a pretty long stay.

In defence of such a prolonged stay Tehiya's Geula Cohen yesterday cited the example of Israel's 15-year long occupation of Sinai, which ended with a peace treaty and the cession of the entire peninsula back to Egypt. MK Cohen, though a member of the coalition, is not a government spokeswoman, but in this instance it would not be surprising if she reflected official thinking.

But her analogy is not very apt. Israel did not take up arms last June against aggression by the government of Lebanon, but by the PLO terrorists who had set up their mini-state forcibly within Lebanon. The liberation of Lebanon from this foreign tyranny has in fact been one of Israel's declared, if far-reaching, war aims. It would be ironical if, instead of offering sympathy and understanding to Bashir Jemayel in his arduous task, Israel were to proceed to armtwist the new president.

POSTSCRIPTS

P.S. ONE WAY to keep the kids off the streets...An eight-year-old girl in Eastern Taiwan recently married a man of 23 with her parents' consent, according to the mass-circulation *United Daily News*. Lin Chia, a primary-school pupil in Hualien County, fell in love with Liu Kuang-Hui, a labourer, and a traditional Chinese wedding was held, the paper said.

But when the couple went to the census office to register their marriage, officials turned down their application because the bride was below the legal marital age of 16, it said.

The newlyweds then decided to wait eight years, until the girl reaches 16, before registering their marriage. In the meantime, they plan to live together, the report said.

It said Lin Chia would leave school because she was embarrassed among her classmates.

P.S. THE EXTORTION note from the "Scorpion Gang" to the Industrial Bank of Washington was brief and incisive — "Leave $10,000 under your front door mat, or else."

But police grabbed the gang at high noon on the appointed day when they rolled up to collect the loot on their getaway vehicles — four skateboards.

The gang, aged between eight and 11, were given a stinging dressing down by police before being handed over to their parents for punishment.

Complained the grandmother of the 11-year-old mastermind of the scheme: "You watch too much television as far as I'm concerned."

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WITHOUT HYSTERIA OR EUPHORIA

By HAIM ZADOK

THE GOVERNMENT resolution rejecting the new American "positions" is based, first, on the charge that they contradict the Camp David Accords and, secondly, on opposition to their substance.

While the substantive merits of the American positions are a legitimate subject for discussion between the U.S. and Israel and for a public debate inside Israel, the claim that they contradict Camp David is completely unfounded.

The American document has come to be referred to as the "Reagan Plan." This is a misnomer. It is not a "plan" in the sense of being a blue-print for a settlement, which the U.S. has invited the parties concerned to adopt as a precondition to resuming talks or as a basis for negotiations. Camp David remains the sole negotiating framework. What President Reagan has submitted to those parties is a set of proposals which the U.S. is putting forward for the autonomy talks.

It is perfectly entitled to do so. The role of the U.S. in the negotiations has been consistently described by the other parties as that of a "full partner." In a joint letter from Prime Minister Begin and President Sadat to President Carter, signed simultaneously with the Egyptian-Israeli Peace Treaty in March 1979, they both confirmed their understanding that the United States Government will "participate fully" in all stages of the autonomy negotiations.

True, during the protracted autonomy talks, the U.S. has confined its role to that of a detached referee or, at most, mediator. But three years of talks have produced no tangible results.

The gap between the positions of Egypt and Israel has proved unbridgeable, and the talks have reached a dead end.

In these circumstances, the U.S. is not only entitled, but indeed bound, to come up with ideas and proposals of its own which, in its opinion, are conducive to getting the talks moving again.

THE CABINET resolution deals with seven specific matters. These merit closer scrutiny.

□ Jerusalem, as the cabinet resolution states, "is nowhere mentioned in the Camp David Agreement." At the time the accords were signed, there was an exchange of letters, each party stating its own position on Jerusalem. Israel's position was that "Jerusalem is one city, indivisible, the capital of the State of Israel." The Egyptian position was that "Arab Jerusalem is an integral part of the West Bank." The U.S. reiterated its traditional position that Jerusalem should remain undivided and that its final status should be determined by negotiation.

This exchange of letters amounted to an "agreement to disagree," and Jerusalem remained a matter of controversy. But there is nothing in Camp David to preclude any party from coming up with proposals concerning Jerusalem in the context of the autonomy negotiations.

The specific proposal of the United States now is "participation by the Palestinian inhabitants of East Jerusalem in the elections for the West Bank-Gaza authority." The government has rejected this proposal on the ground that it would amount to the "re-partition" of Jerusalem into two authorities — the one of Israel, and the other of the Administrative Council of the autonomy.

It seems that the cabinet has read into the American proposal more than it says. The proposal is that the Arab inhabitants of East Jerusalem should have the right to vote in the elections: It is not that the authority of the Administrative Council should extend to East Jerusalem. There would, consequently, be no re-partition between two authorities.

But even in this narrow sense, the American proposal is not acceptable to the Labour Party. Its position is that the whole of Jerusalem is part of the State of Israel, and *all* its inhabitants are residents of Israel. Camp David envisages the election of a self-governing authority by the inhabitants of the West Bank and Gaza. The inhabitants of East Jerusalem *are not* inhabitants of the West Bank and Gaza.

□ Security. The American proposal is that in the transitional period, there shall be "progressive Palestinian responsibility for internal security based on capability and performance." The cabinet resolution omits mentioning another American proposal, in the same document, that external security "must remain in Israel's hands during the transitional period."

The resolution asserts that "in the Camp David Agreement no distiction is made between internal security and external security." This is simply not so.

Camp David provides for the establishment of a "strong police force." The local police force is expressly required to "maintain continuing liaison on *internal security* matters with the designated Israeli, Jordanian and Egyptian officers." Thus, the police force of the self-governing authority has been given a role in matters of internal security. Furthermore, under Camp David, the parties are to negotiate an agreement that "will define the powers and responsibilities of the self-governing authority." The extent of the authority of the Administrative Council in matters of internal security is, therefore, a perfectly legitimate subject for negotiation.

The American proposal on internal security is a good illustration of what Henry Kissinger has been wont to refer to as "constructive ambiguity." The assumption of responsibility for internal security by the self-governing authority is not to be immediate but "progressive"; and it is to be based "on capability and performance." Clearly, the proposal is flexible enough to allow the parties sufficient negotiating room for a successful conclusion. Israel's security must be fully safeguarded.

□ A real settlement freeze. It is true, as the cabinet resolution points out, that "in the Camp David Agreement, no mention whatsoever is made of such a freeze." But there is nothing in Camp David to preclude any party from making proposals in the autonomy talks for a total or partial freeze of settlement activity, or other restriction on, during the transitional period. Israel's position on the substance of the American proposal is, of course, another matter.

It is just as well that the U.S. has abandoned its position that Jewish settlements in the West Bank and Gaza are illegal. The Labour Party and successive Labour governments have never accepted this view.

The establishment of settlements in the West Bank and Gaza is not a matter of law or a matter for international agreement but rather a matter of Israeli policy. The Labour Party would not agree to a total freeze on settlement activity. In its view, Israel's settlement policy should be guided solely by considerations of national security and should be restricted to strategically important areas, which, it so happens, are sparsely populated. The Labour Party is strongly opposed to the establishment of Jewish settlements in areas densely populated by Arabs.

□ The definition of full autonomy. That proposed by the U.S. seeks to give the inhabitants of the West Bank and Gaza "real authority over themselves, the land and its resources, subject to fair safeguards on water." On this, the cabinet resolution comments that "such a definition is nowhere mentioned in the Camp David Agreement."

This is true, but it is equally true that Camp David contains no other definition. One thing is clear: *full* autonomy must mean more than just *autonomy*. Any attempt to define what "full autonomy" means would be an exercise in futility. The only possible definition is one in practical terms, through a negotiated and agreed definition of "the powers and responsibilities of the self-governing authority."

The guiding principle must be that during the transitional period the Palestinian inhabitants should be given a large measure of self-government, which will enable them to manage their own affairs, subject only to Israel's security interests and concerns. Obviously, if, as provided by Camp David, Israeli armed forces are to be deployed in "specified security locations," the land required for this purpose, for free access to such locations and for the protection of Israeli military installations cannot come under the authority of the Administrative Council.

The same would apply to public lands required for settlements in strategically important areas. Given the political will to reach an agreement, the working out of mutually satisfactory arrangements concerning land and natural resources, including water, should not be beyond the negotiating skill of the parties.

□ Ties with Jordan. Under Camp David, Jordan has been assigned an important role in the negotiations leading to an agreement on autonomy, in the administration of autonomy and in the negotiations on the final status of the West Bank and Gaza.

Jordanian citizens may be included in the "strong police force" of the self-governing authority; liaison is to be maintained between that police force and Jordan in matters of internal security; and Jordanian forces are to participate in joint Jordanian-Israeli border patrols and control posts "to assure security of the borders."

The American proposal calls for "economic, commercial, social and cultural ties between the West Bank, Gaza and Jordan." On this, the cabinet resolution merely comments that "in all the clauses of the Camp David Agreement there is no reference whatsoever to such ties". We have been left in the dark as to whether, and to what extent, the government favours or opposes such ties.

Of course, such ties already exist — *de facto* — as far as the West Bank is concerned. There is a constant and large-scale movement of persons and goods from the West Bank to Jordan and back. People living in Jordan are allowed to visit the West Bank and vice versa. Students resident in the West Bank are allowed to go to Jordan for their studies. The curriculum in West Bank schools is the Jordanian curriculum.

These *de facto* ties — economic, commercial, social, cultural — have always been perceived in Israel and elsewhere as desirable and useful. Are they to cease when autonomy is inaugurated? Is the West Bank to be isolated from Jordan when its inhabitants achieve self-government?

Ties with Jordan may be anathema to the Likud government, whose ultimate objective is the annexation of the West Bank and Gaza. They are welcome to the Labour Party, which has always sought a solution of the Palestinian problem in association with Jordan.

□ Sovereignty is the crux of the matter.

The cabinet resolution says that "there is nothing in the Camp David Agreement that precludes the application of Israeli sovereignty over Judea, Samaria and the Gaza District following the transitional period." Of course there isn't. Nor is there anything in Camp David that precludes the establishment of a Palestinian State or any other solution as to the final status of the West Bank and Gaza, including a solution on the lines of the present American proposal. This proposal, as expounded in President Reagan's speech and a statement of the Secretary of State, is based on the following elements:

- Security Council Resolution 242 applies to the West Bank and Gaza.
- The U.S. has accepted the view that Israel's pre-Six Day War boundaries were vulnerable and there will, therefore, be no return to those boundaries.
- Israel has a right to exist in peace behind secure and defensible borders.
- The final borders will be settled by negotiation.
- The U.S. favours association of the West Bank and Gaza with Jordan.
- The U.S. will not support the formation of a Palestinian state.
- There will be security arrangements which will include the complete demilitarization of the West Bank and Gaza.

THE NEW elements in the United States' proposal are the endorsement of Israel's right to defensible borders, other than the pre-June 1967 lines, support for a Jordanian solution of the Palestinian problem, the demilitarization of the West Bank and Gaza and the rejection of the idea of a Palestinian state. These elements are in line with the traditional positions of the Labour Party.

The Labour Party is firmly opposed to the annexation of the West Bank and Gaza. Annexation is not only unrealistic, in that it is rejected by the entire Western world, including the U.S., and is totally unacceptable even to the most moderate elements in the Arab world. But even if it were possible, it is also against the basic national interests of Israel.

The incorporation into the body politic of Israel of 1,300,000 Arabs, having strong ethnic, religious and cultural ties with their kinsmen in neighbouring countries, would transform Israel into another Lebanon, another Cyprus, another Northern Ireland, which would carry within itself the seeds of constant unrest, disruption, strife, violence and bloodshed and would put the very existence of Israel as the Jewish State in jeopardy.

It is both politically and historically incorrect to say that the Labour Party has accepted the American proposal on the future of the West Bank and Gaza. Rather, the U.S. has now endorsed the principal elements of the traditional Labour position. The Labour Party can note, with a measure of satisfaction, that the much maligned and often ridiculed ideas of "territorial compromise" and "Jordanian Option" have come to be endorsed by the U.S.

□ Palestinian state. The cabinet resolution cannot, of course, overlook the fact that the U.S. has committed itself not to support the establishment of a Palestinian state.

As against this clear commitment, the cabinet has embarked on a highly imaginative but strictly hypothetical scenario. If parts of the West Bank were handed over to King Hussein, he could invite Yasser Arafat to come to Nablus and assume control. A Palestinian state would thus come into being, which would enter into an alliance with the Soviet Union and arm itself with all modern weaponry. This Palestinian state would then create a common front with Jordan, Iraq, Saudi Arabia and Syria. After a while, they would, together with other Arab states, launch an onslaught against Israel and attempt to destroy her.

This seems to be a rather alarming possibility, even though it does not sound quite realistic: voluntary surrender of territory by Hussein to Arafat? An alliance between Arafat and the Soviet Union in a common front with Jordan, Iraq, Saudi Arabia and Syria? One cannot help wondering whether this is real or a flight of fancy.

We are considering a situation *after* a peace treaty with Jordan. Such a treaty will provide for security arrangements, including demilitarization of the West Benk and Gaza. If Arafat were put in control and began to arm himself "with all modern weaponry," Israel would do exactly what it would do if Egypt were to violate the existing demilitarization arrangements under its peace treaty with Israel: it would immediately send in the IDF to redress the violation.

One could develop an at least equally alarming scenario with a slight modification. Israel annexes the West Bank; Hussein is overthrown by Arafat; Jordan under him forms an alliance with the Soviet Union and obtains all modern weaponry; common front with Iraq, Saudi Arabia, Syria, other Arab states; onslaught against Israel. Would Israel's military position under this scenario be any better than under that outlined by the cabinet? From the point of view of Israel's security, one can hardly discuss a difference between the two. Israel is strong enough to deal with both.

ISRAEL'S response to the new American proposals should be neither a hysterical rejection nor a euphoric embracement, but a sober examination of each and every element of the proposals and the adoption of the balanced positions best designed to serve the national interests of Israel and its relations wth the U.S.

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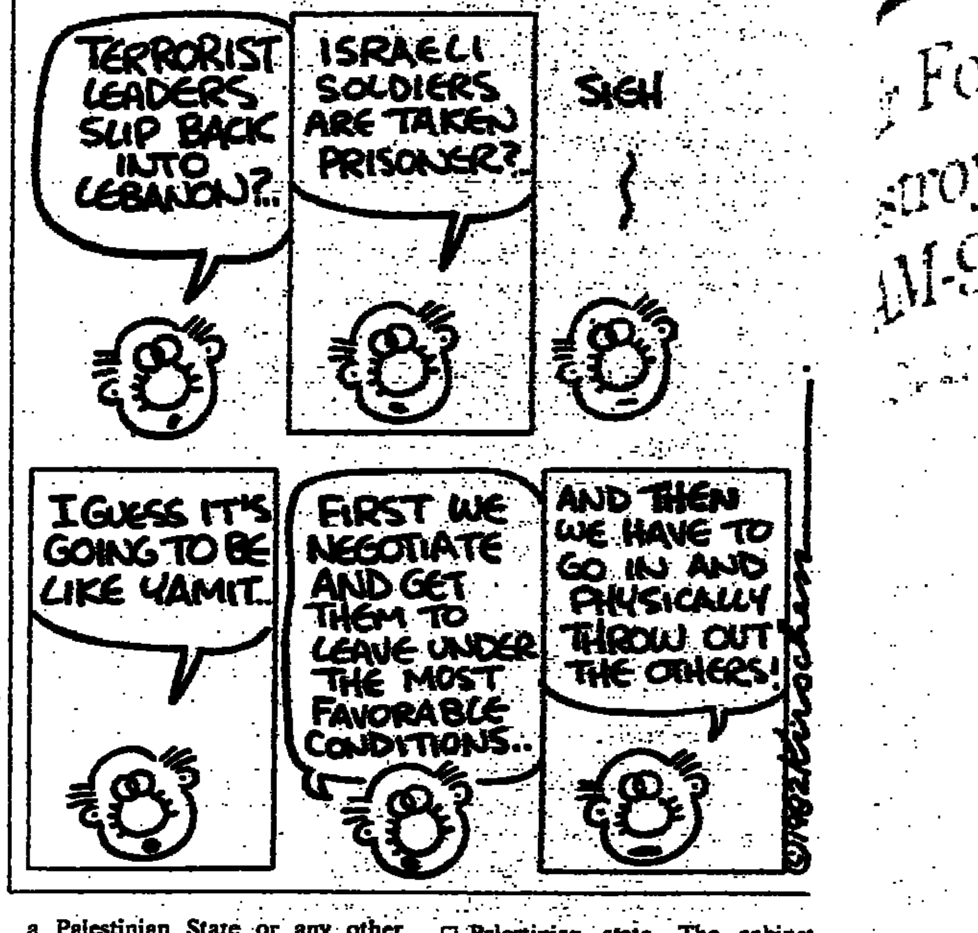

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